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Use of chemicals in spraying feared

by Susan Grober

The federation of cottagers' associations is concerned there will be adverse effects on the environment now that private landowners must cover the costs of a spray program to combat the gypsy moth.

A press release issued by the Federation of Ontario Cottagers' Associations last week states that the Ministry of Natural Resources' "sudden abandonment" of funding could mean many property owners will opt out of the program.

"The expectation has been created that the program would be in place this spring," federation president Barry Mitchell said in the press release.

"Many of our members are seasonal residents who made their spraying commitment last fall before closing up the cottage for the winter," said Mitchell. "FOCA is very concerned that these members cannot be reached in time and will not have sufficient opportunity to make alternate plans for this spring."

The federation is also worried that those who go ahead and pay for the spraying on their own will choose less expensive, hazardous chemicals.

The program funded by the Ministry of Natural Resources used a biological insecticide called Bt, which must be eaten by caterpillars to be activated.

But Bt is more expensive than some chemical sprays, says Andy Paul, the county's forest health program co-ordinator, who is currently going through program applications and working out spray blocks.

Paul is well aware of the association's

concerns.

"We want to use Bt too," he says. "We don't want to go into the private sector with chemicals."

Paul says larger properties have been mathematically eliminated from the program because small landowners are the only ones who can afford to spray.

He also said the county can't afford to provide any funding.

However, final plans for the 1992 gypsy moth spray program are being held off until the county hears word if it will receive funding from the province.

Paul, took part in a meeting last week with the ministry of natural resources, and Ontario aerial applicators. Paul was told by a ministry representative there is "a remote possibility" of using money allocated for setting up a forest health program, "so we're kind of on hold right now," he says.

The information was provided by Cindy Krishka, forest health co-ordinator at the MNR's Tweed office.

Paul says he hopes to hear from Krishka sometime this week.

Because he's uncertain whether the money can be used, Paul says it's premature to work out the final details for the program.

Earlier this month, natural resources minister Bud Wildman announced that the \$3.8 million in funding set for the spray programs would be re-allocated to other "higher-priority initiatives in its forestry program."

County council then approved a plan to proceed with the program, with participating landowners paying for the spray used on their properties.

Grade 7, 8 and 9 students in Minden and would save the board \$1.6 million.

"As much as I had some apprehension about the meeting, it was very well run," said Ladurantaye.

"I didn't feel at risk being there. People just wanted to have a voice."

In separate resolutions, the board accepted the material provided by the two trustees, and referred the matter to the management committee for more discussion.

Kernohan and Campbell have offered to meet with the committee to discuss their proposal if the members wish.

Board will consider new school option

The board of education has agreed to take another look at the school accommodation issue.

During the regular board meeting last Tuesday, Minden trustees Mary Anne Wilson and Wendy Ladurantaye reported on the public meeting held at the Minden Community Centre two weeks ago and presented the board with the comments and submissions made by residents.

It was at that public meeting that residents Doug Campbell and Bryan Kernohan presented their proposal for school accommodation which will keep



Dongola home destroyed

A mid-day fire on Baseline Road just south of Highway 503 last Monday, February 24, destroyed the home of Barry Trottier, Nancy Dollack and their children Jason Trottier, and Ryan and Morgan Dollack. Firefighters from Bexley, Somerville and Kinmount responded to the alarm, battling the blaze from shortly after noon until almost 5 p.m.

Premier denies government reneged on 18-bed promise

by Jay Kerr-Wilson

Ontario Premier Bob Rae has denied that his government reneged on a promise to build an 18-bed chronic care addition to the Haliburton Hospital.

Rae attended last weekend's meeting of the Ontario Community Newspaper Association and during a "bear pit session" he fielded questions from publishers, editors and reporters representing community newspapers from across the province.

Len Pizzey, publisher of the Haliburton County Echo, reminded the premier of the promise, made during the 1990 provincial election, to build the 18-bed unit and asked the Rae how citizens of the county could regard that promise as anything more than a calculated lie designed to win votes.

In response, Rae said he appreciates the frustration felt by Haliburton County residents and, while admitting he isn't fully aware of the issue, said the ministry of health has continued to work on the chronic care situation in Haliburton County.

"As far as I'm aware the plans are being actively considered," said Rae. "They are part of an overall capital review."

He said the health ministry has been "working hard on the issue of chronic care in the Haliburton area" and promised to find out more about the matter and provide a detailed answer at a later date.

"There has been no reneging," he said.

The local NDP member of the provincial government, Dennis Drainville, made the chronic care issue a priority during his successful bid to win the riding in the 1990 election. He strongly criticized the previous Liberal government for first approving the chronic care unit and then putting it on hold pending the completion of a detailed study of Haliburton County's health, housing and social service needs.

Drainville said the Liberal's treatment of the issue indicated that Haliburton had become the "forgotten county" in the province of Ontario.

On two separate occasions during the election, Rae visited the riding in support of Drainville's campaign and promised that, if elected, the NDP would make sure the chronic care unit was built before considering the recommendations of the directional health plan.

The directional plan was released last spring and among its recommendations was the proposal to build 40 new long-term care beds in the county. The plan was accepted by the provincial government in October and approval was given for up to 30 beds. The announcement was accompanied by \$2.3 million in funding.

A coordinator has been hired to oversee the directional plan and a implementation committee is being set up to put the recommendations into place.

Local students tops in some subjects

by Jay Kerr-Wilson

The following issues were discussed at last Tuesday's meeting of the Haliburton County Board of Education.

Semester issue sent to committee

The trustees approved, in principle, a plan to start semestering at the high school in September 1993 on the recommendation of the education committee.

Dysart trustee Len Salvatori said he wanted to see more study done on the issue before any board approval and suggested that a committee should do an in-depth study.

Director of Education Brad Saunders said the approval in principle would send the issue back to the education committee, which will collect more information and make sure the decision is appropriate.

It was suggested that the committee could report their findings, and any recommendations, by the March meeting of the board. Most of the trustees agreed to have the committee study the issue for another month and said the semestering plan needs some alterations.

Tim Casey opposed the motion and said: "I don't see how we can approve it, even in principle, unless everyone is satisfied it the direction we want to go."

No support for grad dance

On the advice of the board's lawyer, the

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trustees decided not to approve any fundraising activities which would support the High School's graduate dinner and dance.

Superintendent Dale Robinson said because the event is held away from school property and there will be alcohol present, the lawyers think it would be unwise for the board to associate itself with the party.

"We'd be putting ourselves in a precarious position if their was an accident," he said.

The dance is being held at a licensed establishment and some of the students will be of legal drinking age so the board would have no control, said Lutterworth trustee Cheryl Murdoch.

Local students above average

Students in Haliburton County have scored better than the provincial average on a series of math tests which were conducted across Ontario in 1990.

Superintendent Dale Robinson presented trustees with results of the test which compared the performance of local students to the provincial average.

The tests were given to Grade 8 students and Grade 12 advanced level students.

In the Grade 8 tests, local students beat the provincial average in four out of five categories and in the Grade 12 tests the local results were better in three out of four categories.

Robinson cautioned the trustees about the

conclusion they draw from the results because the study is based on one class in one year.

While being generally pleased with the performance of the local students, he said the study did reveal some weak areas and efforts are being made to improve.

The results of the test will be sent to the education committee for consideration and the committee will report back to the board with any conclusions or recommendations.

Board seeks grant for puppets

The Haliburton board of education is joining forces with the Victoria Board of Education to seek a joint SEED grant to purchase a puppet program.

The specially designed puppets are used in the classroom to illustrate people with physical disabilities or certain medical conditions.

Superintendent Dale Robinson said the goal of the program is to teach students tolerance and understanding of people who are different.

The two school boards are seeking a grant of \$10,000 to purchase the program and hire a co-ordinator to put the program in place. Robinson, who has seen the puppets in action, said scripts are provided and eventually he would like to see local staff members trained to perform the shows.

Motion to quit recycling defeated

The trustees decided to stick with the fine

paper recycling program despite a recommendation from the management committee that the board drop out of the effort.

The program, which is a co-operative effort involving the county, the school board, Ontario Hydro, the MNR and several businesses, has been in operation for about a year.

The committee was considering whether or not to renew the one-year contract and, in a split vote, decided to pull out in order to save the annual cost of \$500.

But when the issue came before the entire board, a number of trustees expressed concern about abandoning the program.

"I feel this board is being very short-sighted if we don't continue," said Sherborne trustee John Munro.

"Recycling is probably the right direction," said Len Salvatori. "If we discontinue now, it will look like we're not interested in what's going on in the environment. I know it's \$500, but it's something we can't back up on."

Mary Anne Wilson reminded the trustees that the board had adopted an environmental policy in August and the fine paper recycling was the only such program they are involved in.

"We should be providing leadership to teachers and students," she said. "Considering what the teachers and students are doing, we wouldn't be showing very good leadership if we quit."

When it came to a vote, the trustees decided to stay in the program.

Board logo to be re-designed

by Jay Kerr-Wilson

Gumby is out and the Highlands are in.

In its search for a new logo, the Haliburton County Board of Education has decided to alter the existing design instead of choosing something new.

Last month the trustees were presented with a new logo which depicted a stick person and the letter H.

But the design brought little enthusiasm from the board members and was referred to by one trustee as "Gumby doing the high jump".

At last Tuesday's meeting, Director of Education Brad Saunders presented trustees with an alternative logo which is based on the present design.

Currently, the logo depicts the lakes and trees of the

county and the Lamp of Learning. The new design is basically the same but adds hills which represent the Highlands of the county and removes the serrated border and replaces it with a plain circle.

Saunders asked the trustees whether the board should give up on the idea or if the

new logo was closer to being acceptable.

He said the new logo will not cost the board any more money because the artwork is being done for free and the board has to order more stationery regardless of which logo is used.

The trustees approved the altered logo design.

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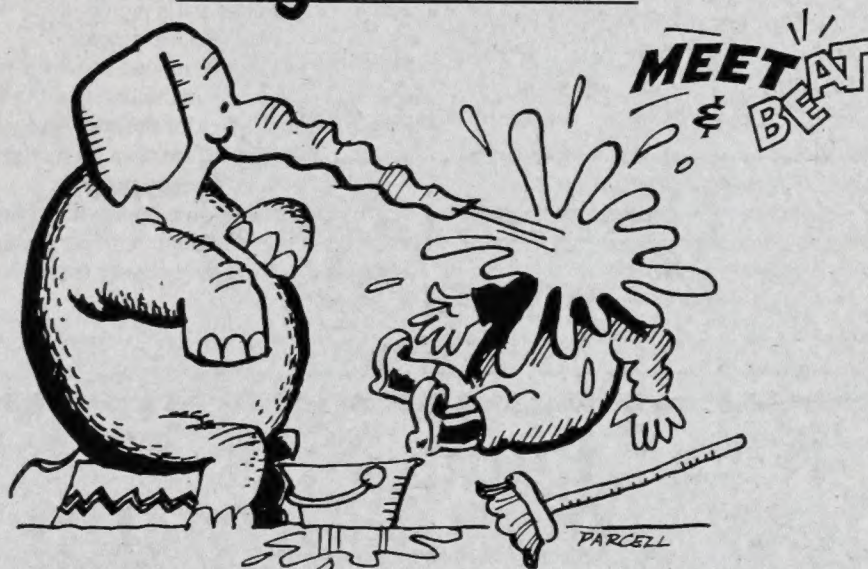
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Community officer should get to know merchants

by Jay Kerr-Wilson

For community policing to be accepted by Minden's business owners, there should be more police visibility downtown, the police committee has been told.

Times' publisher Jack Brezina was one of only five business owners who attended a meeting with the committee last Wednesday night. He told the committee that community policing in Minden has not resulted in the increase in police visibility he expected.

"When community policing came on line, it was my impression that it would be like the old days with a cop on the street who knew every merchant and every merchant knew him," said Brezina. "If you brought Constable (Mark) McMaster downtown in plainclothes, I bet most of the merchants couldn't identify him as the community police officer."

He suggested that McMaster should make an effort to get out and meet the business owners in the village and build a relationship with them.

"If you're going to get the business community working with you, Mark has got to get out of the police building and into the stores."

While a shortage of manpower and other duties might affect the amount of time the officers can patrol the downtown area, Brezina said McMaster should be able to find two or three hours a month to get out and meet the business owners.

Stedmans' manager Shirley Walker, who is a member of the police committee, said there is a general feeling among the business community that police visibility should increase now that the downtown office has been opened.

"It's not what we expected," she said. "There needs to be more communication to let people in the business community know what's going on."

Walker said business owners would like to be warned by police if there are reports of shoplifting or bad cheques in the area.

Police committee chairman Doug Campbell said he recently attended a community policing conference in Dunsford. One of the communities have set up a system where the police call one business owner to warn about crimes like bad cheques and that merchant calls three people, who call three people etc.

The system works so well that all the businesses in the area are notified within eight minutes of the original phone call, said Campbell. He suggested the local committee investigate the possibility of setting up a similar system.

There was also discussion about the erosion of OPP manpower across the province. Sergeant Doug Bernardi, who is the local coordinator of community policing, said the Minden detachment should have 27 constables assigned to it, but only has 25.

"There has been a reduction in manpower," he said. "We don't have an army out there to wipe out crime. We are going back to the old way of doing things where the public gives us information and we do the leg work and the legal work."

Campbell said the analysis upon which Minden's detachment strength is based is 10 years old and the county's population has increased by 21.5 per cent in that time.

"That's 7,800 people (including seasonal residents) he have that we didn't have when the analysis was done," he said. "We're not short two people, we're short 11 people."

Walker suggested that the committee should lobby to have more officers assigned to the Minden detachment.

Bernardi said community policing is now in place in the villages of Minden, Haliburton, Gooderham, Wilberforce and Dorset and has produced positive effects.

"It's been quite effective, people are starting to relate to the officers," he said. He said the clearance rate of crimes has increased because of information received by officers from the

members of the public.

Those in attendance also discussed the proposal to start some sort of youth program in the village of Minden. The need for more youth-oriented activities has been a recurring theme at the focus groups held by the police committee.

Russ Paul suggested that there are people in the area who would volunteer their time to organize activities for young people, such as fishing trips or snowmobiling.

Campbell said he was disappointed by the low turnout of business owners to the meeting. He said if the business owners in the village have concerns about the level of police service, they should have attended the meeting to make their feelings known.

The meeting was the final one in a series of four organized by the committee. Members also met with seniors, parents and teenagers. The committee will prepare a report of their findings and present recommendations to the OPP and Minden council and will hold a public meeting to share the information with residents of the village.

Crime of the week

Antiques stolen from Snowdon cottage

Sometime between 9-23 February 92 unknown persons broke into a cottage located on the Irondale River near Howland Junction in Snowdon Township.

Taken from the cottage were antiques of a value exceeding \$7,000, and listed as follows:

— four wood decoy ducks, china wash

basin and shaving mug trimmed with green flowers

— pink satin glass table lamp with brass base

— 12" china bowl yellow in colour

— silver pickle bowl

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School's Out: The villages of Kinmount and Norland are facing the closure of their schools

by Jerry Grozelle

Late June will mark the end of an educational era for three communities in the northern townships of Victoria County.

The elementary schools in Norland, Kinmount and Burnt River will close their doors for the last time but it may be several months or maybe even years before the full impact of the closing of these schools will be realized. Predictions of what will happen to the villages of Kinmount and Norland as a result of the closures vary widely, depending on whom one talks to.

Those opinions range from minor inconvenience to a loss of community spirit to visions of the villages forging a course into oblivion.

To most of the parents who have children attending these schools, the decision by the

Victoria County Board of Education (VCBE) to consolidate elementary education in the northern townships from five facilities to two, was an unpopular one. So unpopular, in fact, that many families banded together and fought the board's decision tooth and nail, exhausting every

avenue in an attempt to save the local schools.

A group called Save Our Schools (SOS) was formed, lawyers were hired, presentations were made, studies were conducted and in the end, the VCBE won out. Elementary school children from the northern townships will attend school either in Kirkfield or Cobocok, starting in September of this year.

The new school in Kirkfield is already in operation and a new, much larger facility in Cobocok, which has been named Ridgewood Public School, is under construction.

The lengthy battle, which spanned more than two terms of municipal government and saw two school board trustees elected because they ran on a platform of helping to keep the old schools open, left many residents of the

area feeling frustrated and wounded by a system that they thought was put in place to serve their needs and preferences.

The scars from those wounds aren't likely to disappear soon. Guy Scott, who runs the IGA in Kinmount, is one of those who has dire predictions. He fears that the loss of the school may be one of the first steps on the way to Kinmount becoming a ghost town. Scott pointed out that the school has been fortunate to have a lot of parent involvement, a fact that has been reinforced by principal Mike Rose.

"But the parents won't get involved like they used to if they have to go Cobocok," Scott said. Some of the events that the children have participated in through the school are flower planting, walk-a-thons, skating parties and the Santa Claus Parade, to name a few.

"The closing of the school can't have any good impact," Scott said. "Nothing good can happen from it."

He added that some of the younger children will be spending at least two hours a day riding on a bus to and from the new school, which will prevent them from enjoying extra curricular activities.

"I went to that school, and on to high school, and on to university," Scott said. "I don't think going to a small school was any handicap." Scott contin-

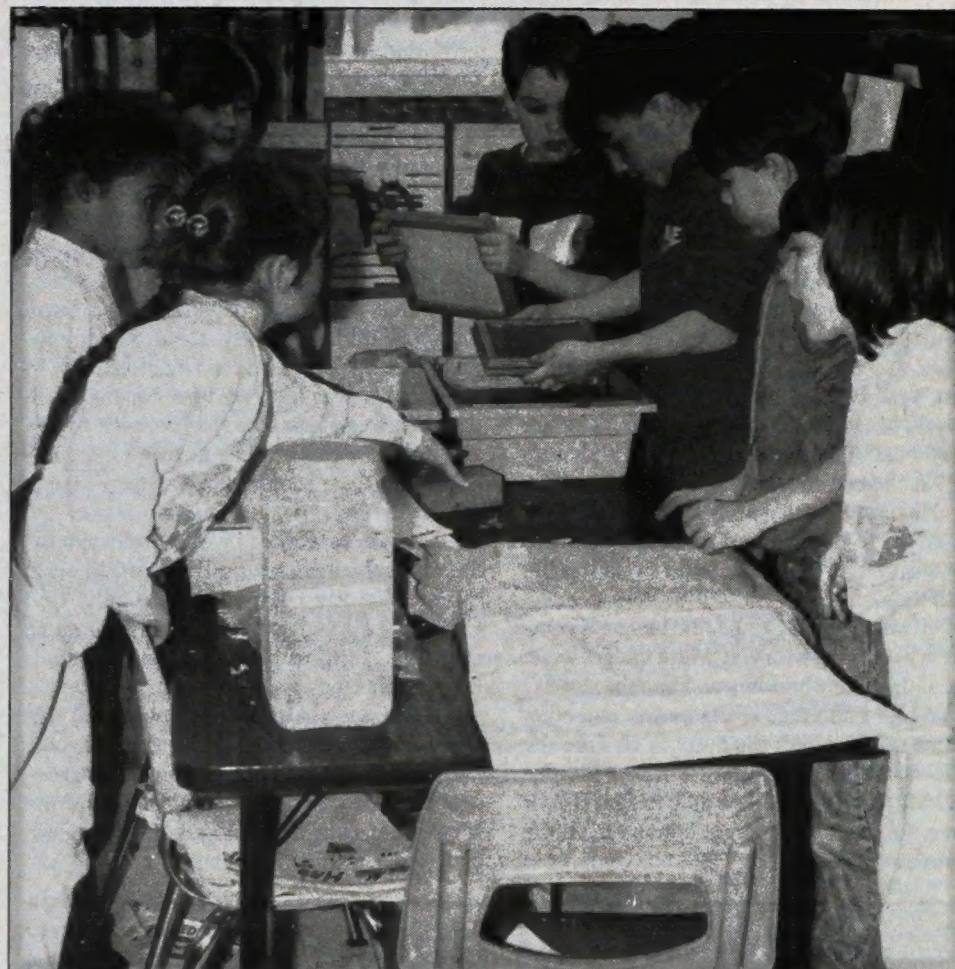
ued by saying that he thinks that some people from the area around Kinmount may decide to move closer to the school.

"Any time you take jobs out of the town it's detrimental," he said.

Although he doesn't have any children attending school in Kinmount, Al Jopling will miss the youngsters as much as anyone.

Jopling is the president of the Royal Canadian Legion, Branch 441 in Kinmount, an organization that has had a tremendous rapport with the children and staff of the school. The Legion has been a continuing supporter of the school children of the area by offering such assistance as sponsorship for hockey teams, organizing the annual Santa Claus Parade, sponsoring public speaking, essay and poster

"We're going to miss them," Legion president Al Jopling says of the Kinmount students. "It hurts me personally."



Grade 3 and 4 students at Norland Public School are up to their elbows in environmental awareness as they make their own recycled paper out of newsprint and cardboard as part of a class project for the Science Fair.

contests, and making its facilities available for karate school, and science fairs.

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The latest Legion contest winner was 11-year-old Robynne Kilby of Kinmount, who took first place with her essay on the impending closure of the school. She placed first at the local level and Jopling was recently informed that the Grade 6 student's essay placed second at the Legion Zone level. A poem that was submitted also garnered third place honours in the zone competition.

Kilby says her work outlined how the people of Kinmount would miss the school, the

teachers and what the school is like. She said that her parents like the Kinmount school because "it's small and everybody knows each other." Kilby says she has mixed feelings about the move to a bigger school, farther away from her home.

"In a way, I'm looking forward to it," she said. "But I still like the school in Kinmount."

Mike Rose is the principal of both the Kinmount and Burnt River schools. "It's a nice family atmosphere in Kinmount and Burnt River," he said. "The two schools do a lot of activities together."

"The people of Kinmount, especially the

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School board ignored county study on effect of closures

In 1984 the Victoria County Board of Education announced plans to close five of the County's northern schools and consolidate the facilities at two locations.

At the request of Victoria County Council, the County Planning board was directed to conduct a study to determine the impact of closing the schools in the Hamlets of Burnt River, Cobocok, Kinmount, Kirkfield and Norland. That study was completed in June of 1987.

The resulting 85-page document painted a picture which, for the most part, portrayed a dismal future for a small community which loses a school.

Drawing its conclusions from examples of other small towns that had lost a school, consultation with experts in the field and books and other studies on the subject, the County Planning Department identified, among others, the following potential problems:

- A slow erosion of self-sustainability
- A slow death of the small community
- The undermining of the rural way of life
- Loss of opportunities for interaction of people of all ages
- The exodus of some of the higher learning and leadership
- The new school is less accessible

- A longer day for children because of busing
- Increased safety hazards for those waiting for buses in all kinds of weather
- Increase in physiological and sociological distance between community and school
- A decrease in parental participation and influence
- The demise of the community's vitality

The study goes on to suggest: "There are indications that the closure of small elementary schools for the purpose of consolidation have the most adverse impact on a community. The consolidation of junior and secondary levels of schools has less of an impact..."

"The importance of communication between the community members who are to be affected by a possible closure, the Victoria County Board of Education Trustee members and staff members cannot be emphasized enough."

"The values of community participation and interaction are often sacrificed as a result of school closure."

"There is reason to believe that the dissatisfaction amongst the children associated with busing has led to earlier dropouts."

In conclusion, the study's findings were that... if a school is closed in a community there will be a negative impact on the community because of:

- a) the children being away for a longer period of time during the day.
- b) the school is one of the focal points of the community.
- c) the distance of the school from the community can reduce the parents' involvement in assisting in activities at the school.
- d) the distance from a school and the need for busing children, young families may leave the community. With no schools in the community, young families with children may decide not to move into the community but locate where there is a school.

Dianne Austin, who was elected as a trustee on the VCBE because of her stand against the school closures, said that the Board chose to reject, out of hand, the conclusions drawn by the Planning Department.

After an 8-year battle, the School Board won out. It sought, and was granted, the right to recover \$10,000 from 10 families that were involved with the Save Our Schools Committee.

As a result of that action, "people are scared to death to stand up for anything," said Austin. "They (the VCBE) did so much damage by going after that money. They demoralized the communities."

Loss of schools will diminish communities

Parents may become less involved when their children move to new school in Coboconk

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Legion and the Lions Club, will sorely miss the school. It's a bustling community and it should survive." Rose added that the new facility in Coboconk will have a lot to offer the students and that "transportation fears will be overcome".

Rose said that the teachers from the schools that are closing will be placed either at the new Ridgewood Public School or other schools within the system. He will be going to Queen Victoria Public School in Lindsay, the same community where he and his family reside.

Norma Jean Nelson, principal of the Norland school, will also be moving to a position closer to her home in Bobcaygeon.

Nelson said that a great many of the parents of students in Norland feel very comfortable at the Norland school. Many of them attended the school when they were younger and there is a strong sense of community spirit associated with the school.

At a recent open house, two-thirds of the students' were represented by one or both of their parents.

"A few people will have less access to the new school," she admitted. "But many of them are committed to helping out at the new school as much as possible."

"I think there will be a sense of loss of community (when the school closes), but the town has a beautiful spirit," Nelson said. "And the service clubs will still be here for the community."

Joyce Bartley is less optimistic about the possibility of parents travelling to Coboconk to help out with the type of services that have been provided in Norland. She attended the school herself and she and husband Jerry had four children graduate from the Norland school and one grandchild who will finish grade eight this year.

The Bartleys are among a large number of Norland and area families who feel frustrated and demoralized after the long and bitter battle with the VCBE.

Joyce doesn't think there will be as much community spirit and fears that some activities that have been enjoyed by so many people in the community in the past, such as the singing of Christmas Carols around town, or the annual participation in Pitch-In Week (a community clean-up campaign which was initiated

several years ago by the Ontario Federation of Anglers and Hunters), may become things of the past in Norland.

Jerry Bartley is disappointed that the school board doesn't seem to be hiring local people to construct the new school, especially in light of the fact that it is a depressed area and construction jobs are scarce.

Debbie Fogwell and Kerry LeRiche are two of the teachers from the Norland school who will be making the move to Ridgewood. Fogwell, who lives in Norland and has a daughter attending school there said: "It will be sad not to see a school in Norland. Some of the people are still upset and some of the kids are scared. We're doing what we can to help the children adjust."

"Children are very adaptable," LeRiche said. "We will have to think positive and be positive for them."

Staff members at the school will be doing what they can to encourage parents to continue with their support when the move is made to Coboconk. A number of events have already been organized to include students from other areas within the northern townships and those events have proven successful.

Now that the northern schools are destined to close in a few months, what will become of the properties and buildings?

The School Board's official policy states that the properties are to be sold at current market val-

ues. But there is a priority list of who will have first choice. The Separate School Board is at the top of the list, followed by Sir Sandford Fleming College. Then the municipal, provincial and federal governments would be favoured and finally, if no interest is indicated by any of the above, members of the general public would have a chance to buy the property.

As of last week, the only official inquiry the VCBE had received was from the council of the United Townships of Laxton, Digby and Longford regarding the Norland school. Council appointed two of its members (Councillors John Macklem and Vernon LeCraw) to look into the feasibility of the municipality acquiring the school and what uses the facility might be put to.

"The local people have supported it (the school) for all these years. It would be nice to see it go back to the community," said Helen Graham, a long-time resident of Norland.

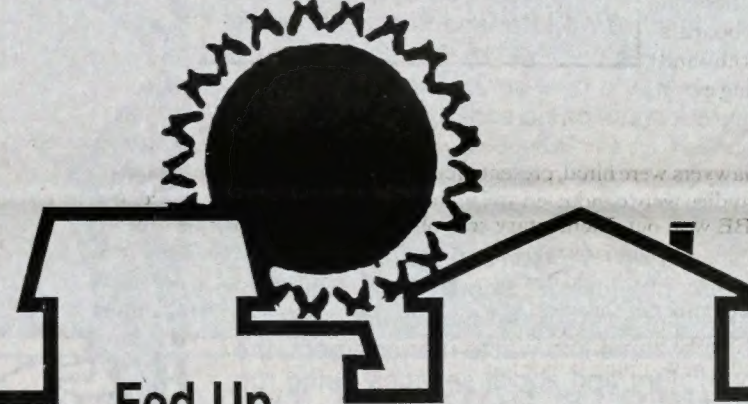


Kinmount principal Mike Rose



Kinmount students Russell Hill, Blair Crego and Richard Hartin work with language resource teachers Mrs. Austin (left) and Mrs. Lee.

Kinmount School science fair will be held at the Kinmount Legion on Friday, March 12



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Coboconk school on schedule for start of class next autumn

Construction of the new public school at the junction of Highways 35 and 48 in Coboconk is progressing according to schedule.

"We're very pleased with the way it's progressing," said Al Ingram, Superintendent of Finance with the Victoria County Board of Education.

One snag that the

VCBE hadn't budgeted for is a turn lane on Highway 35 in front of the new school.

That extra lane of tarmac is a requirement of the Ministry of Transportation and Ingram said that he expects it will add between \$100,000 and \$150,000 to the cost of the project.

"We weren't planning on that," Ingram admitted, adding that there are no

grants available and the cost will have to be borne 100 per cent locally.

Ingram said that the Board will be calling for tenders for the construction of the turning lane soon.

"We're shooting for a September opening of the new school," Ingram said, adding that there is no reason why that target date can't be realized.

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Editorial

This Friday, citizens of Haliburton County are being invited to a public meeting, hosted by the tax coalition, to voice their opinions on the proposed county budget.

The open budget process adopted by county council is an historic move and local ratepayers should not waste the opportunity to decide where they want their tax dollars spent.

Given the public outcry which followed last year's 35 per cent increase in the county levy, the Haliburton Legion should be packed to capacity with people wanting to avoid another nasty surprise when the 1992 budget is passed in March. Instead of taking up the popular chant of "no more taxes" we should all be prepared to make tough choices about which services should be cut in the interest of fiscal restraint, and which services should be protected despite the costs.

During the next week, everybody should become familiar with the spending estimates which have been prepared by the various county departments and give serious thought to how service reduction, or increased taxes, will effect the county.

Questions which need to be answered include: Do we need a county official plan? Do we need an economic development office? How much should we spend on county roads? Will we accept a county deficit? Should the Chamber of Commerce be supported by tax dollars? Are county programs like waste management, the library system and social services being run effectively?

Only by dealing with these critical questions can residents of the county give council the direction it needs to develop its fiscal blueprint for the coming year. Councillors have assumed a risk by opening the budget process to public scrutiny, but if the experiment is successful it will set an important precedent in determining the relationship between the public and the politicians in the future.

The board of education should also be encouraged to take similar action in presenting the public with a clear picture of the financial challenges facing the school system and welcome the involvement of the people who pay the bills through property taxes.



Dahmer's depravity was matched in the past

The guy in the coffee shop was singing a familiar tune. "Lookit this Jeffrey Dahmer creep" he growled, pointing a crescent moon of chocolate glazed donut at the front page of the tabloid rag on the counter. "Kills people. Eats them. Paints their skulls. Ah, I tell ya."

He went on to grouse about other humans horrors of our time. Wayne Gacy. Charlie Manson. The KGB/CIA/IRA/PLO.

"I'm tellin ya, I don't know what the world is comin' to" he sermonized to no one in particular.

And then, the kicker:

"Sure wasn't like that in the old days."

He was a big guy, this coffee shop orator. He had one

Black 'n White

by Arthur Black

of those wallets on a stainless steel chain attached to his belt, and he cradled his coffee mug in a big meaty mitt that looked like it might bounce off, oh say, the jaw of a smart alec and be little the worse for the adventure.

Otherwise, I'm sure I would have said something.

Something like "Horsefeathers."

I get a little impatient with folks who try to sell the notion

that, depravity-wise, Things Have Never Been So Bad.

The truth is, wickedness has always had a deluxe suite at the Hotel Homo Sapiens. We've had our share saints, holy folk and just plain good people over the years, but that same history is pockmarked with ogres and tyrants, murderers and scalliwags.

We've got more nosey reporters around these days, that's all.

But perhaps you think I'm all wet. Maybe you're convinced that our parents — or at least our parents parents — lived in an altogether more innocent time, when people

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Opinion

The Times welcomes signed letters to the editor on subjects of interest to our readers. Short letters are most likely to be chosen for publication, but the use of any material is at the discretion of the editor. The editor reserves the right to edit letters to meet space requirements, for clarity or to avoid obscenity, libel or invasion of privacy.

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Careless snowmobilers irk Kinmount business owner

Editor:

"Three Cheers to Rosemary Swift!"

No, I am not complaining about the winter business. But, I have lost count as to how many times our staff and ourselves have had to tell some snowmobilers not to drive or park so close to the windows and door of our building, warn them to stay away from our dogs and make repairs to the lid of the holding tank because it has been actually driven over! - not to mention garbage detail

after a busy weekend!

There are many snowmobilers who are thoughtful, and we thank them, but it's just those "few" whom I wish the others would remind of the "Code - of - the - Snowmobiler".

Safely - Concern - and - Common Sense must be observed in any sport. It makes it more enjoyable for everyone.

Yours sincerely
Mrs. M. Crowder
Kinmount.

Upcoming workshop addresses proposed 15 % spending hike

For the first in memory, this Country's ratepayers are being allowed to participate in one part of our process that eventually ends with each property tax bill.

Although the part we have access to is the smallest of the three (the other two are prepared by the Board of Education and each of our municipalities) County Councillors are to be congratulated for their bold initiative.

Now is the time for rhetoric to be abandoned on favor of reasonable argument and cooperative efforts to produce a County levy that best represents our needs, our desires, and our ability to pay.

In order for the individual 10-minute presentations to the March 10 County Council meeting to be effective, the Taxpayers Coalition has organized a budget workshop for this Friday, March 6, at 7:30pm in the Haliburton Village Legion Hall.

This Tax Rally-2 will give us all a chance to understand the accounting procedures, and fill in the blanks to the 40 some pages of department budget requests released last week. It is an unprecedented opportunity for all taxpayers to work with elected officials, and will undoubtedly set the tone for similar cooperation in years to come. The degree to which we all can sincerely address County council's invitation will be watched closely by our Board of Education and Municipal Councils as they question the value of such cooperation in their own budget procedures.

Needless to say, we have suggestions of our own to offer, but a major thrust of our presentation will be the effect past tax hikes

Community Tax Watch

by Gary Kenney and John Beachill

have had on our county tax base. A tax base is simply the reservoir of taxable properties in any jurisdiction that may contribute to the expenses of that municipality, province or country.

In our county the tax base is in serious decline. Our preparation of the numbers for County Councillors is not yet complete but the trend is obvious. Here are a few examples.

Since 1989, taxes in Lutterworth have risen nearly 50% while the tax base has increased less than 9%. Stanhope has seen a tax hike of 33% and a tax base increase of 5.5%. Anson, Hindon, and Minden have suffered a 35% hike with a tax base improvement of 10%. Dysart has shouldered a tax increase of 42.5% and while we have not yet received the tax base figures from that municipal office it would seem safe to assume they do not keep pace.

There are obvious questions about education budgets, municipal services, economic development, and county restructuring that flow from such a withering of the muscle in our tax base. The preliminary County budget asks for a 15% increase in spending over actual 1991 costs. Please attend the Tax Rally-2 Workshop to help sort it all out.



Government gouges starving taxpayer with federal budget

Editor:

After hearing our federal budget, did you notice that the two clowns that feared the end of universality? Normal loonie left types that do nothing but want a large piece of what others create.

Our country is in trouble because of the government spending money it hasn't looted from us yet. The dishonorable Mr. Chretien wishes us to be another billion in debt.

I propose a new policy that all new govern-

ment spending be funded by voluntary taxes.

Any shortfalls to be personally made up by the elected politicians who voted in the new expense.

This way we could get some use out of our ex-politician's retirement funds.

I would love to see some of them starve because of their decisions instead of us!

Jim Battarbee

Was cannibalistic camper a Republican?

(from page 6)

really were the kinder, gentler folk George Bush keeps prattling about.

In that case, ladies and gentlemen, allow me to introduce you to Mister Alferd E. Packer.

Yes, "Alferd." Spelling is but one of many of society's secrets Mister Packer failed to unravel in his unhappy meander through life. Unused to reading or writing, Mister Packer seldom signed his named, but when he did, he spelled it "Alferd".

He led an undistinguished life, did Mister Packer, performing odd jobs that blew him like so much sagbrush back and forth across the American southwest. In the winter of 1874, Fate found Alferd and five companions slogging through a remote valley in the San Colorado. The six men

were adventurers, westward bound, looking for the proverbial pot of gold.

It was a rough winter with lots of cold and snow. Indians went hungry and whole herds of cattle froze on the hoof. Nobody much expected to see the six men come spring.

And mostly, they were right — five of them never showed up. Just Alferd Packer. A ..remarkably Well-Fed Alferd Packer, for a man who'd supposedly spent the winter starving in the mountains. After the spring thaw, horrified investigators found Alferd's last camp site. There, the discovered the dismembered remains of Alferd's erstwhile companions. They had been murdered with an axe.

And then they had been eaten.

Alferd denied responsibility. Then he confessed to killing one of them in self-defense. Finally he owned up to the whole

shebang: multiple murders plus gastronomy above and beyond the boundaries of the Cordon Bleu Cookbook.

It wasn't a pretty case, but I'd have risked upchucking my lunch to have been in that courtroom when District Judge Melville B. Gerry pronounced sentence on the hapless Packer.

Legend has it that the Judge said this:

"Stand up, you man-eatin' sonofabitch. Stand up."

Then, the judge thundered: "There was seven Dimmicrats in Hinsdale County and you 'et five of 'em, damn you. I sentence you to be hanged by the neck until you're dead, dead, dead, as a warning against reducin' the Democratic population of the state."

That's how the legend goes. If it isn't true, it ought to be.

A Fish Tale

THE SPORT OF ICE FISHING IS STEADILY GROWING IN POPULARITY, AND FOR GOOD REASON: IT'S FUN, RELAXING, AND CHALLENGING

by Susan Grober

A fair number of sports enthusiasts suffer from cabin fever during these cold, winter months.

Sure, they could always snowmobile or ski — but many would rather stay inside when the temperatures drop. That's why fishing is one indoor sport which a growing number of people are falling for hook, line and sinker. Fishing an indoor sport? Well, those who ice fish enjoy all the comforts of home while housed in one of the hundreds of fish huts scattered over this county's ice-encrusted lakes.

"You're never cold in a fish hut," says Gary Grosschadl, of the Clansman Motel. "At least you're not cold in one that's built properly, without any gaping holes in it."

Many have the misconception that ice fishermen freeze their behinds off while partaking in their favourite sport.

"It used to be the guys would go ice fishing, and the women would think they're struggling in the wild," says Grosschadl.

In reality, most ice fishing huts feature cushy seats and cozy stoves fueled by wood, propane or kerosene.

Such operations as the Clansman also offer fishermen and women accommodation and three meals a day. "So they're actually quite pampered," he says.

Of course, ice fishing isn't restricted to the inside of an hut. "In March it's usually warm, and you can actually sit outside and get a tan," says Grosschadl.

Many people wander around the lakes to follow the fish, drilling holes in various areas with an auger.

"Ice fishing is as active as you make it," he says. "You can enjoy the comfort and ease of a fish hut. If you're patient, and choose to let the fish come to you, a fish hut is great. Or, if you're more aggressive, you can stay outdoors and change your location."

"There's a lot of room in between for someone to fit their style."

One great thing about ice fishing is that not much skill is involved. As long as lady luck is on your side, you're sure to have success.

"There's a lot of luck involved in ice fishing," says Grosschadl. "Sometimes you have a strike as soon as you set-up. Other times, it takes hours."

Because of all the waiting, ice fishing is a very low key, relaxing sport. Grosschadl recalls one man who found it so relaxing that he couldn't stay awake — until his friends taught him a lesson.

"One weekend, this guy kept dozing off on his buddies. So the other three fellas in his group pulled his line up, and hooked a fish onto it."

Before dropping the fish down into the hole, the men used

a black magic marker to write their sleeping pal's name on its scaly side.

"When they got the fish down into the hole, the guy's friends woke him up and said, 'Joe, you've got a strike!'" says Grosschadl. "He finally got it up out of the ice, and he was all proud at getting this big fish without even trying... Then he saw the name Joe, written in big black letters. His friends got a good laugh at him."

Ice fishing is a very social sport, where a group of guys can get together and shoot the breeze, solve all the world's problems and bring home a line of fish for dinner.

Grosschadl says the fishing often takes a back seat to the socializing aspect.

"They play cards, and talk, and don't pay attention to their lines. Then they complain that the fish aren't biting, and I check the lines and see there aren't any minnows."

The Clansman Motel has the largest ice fishing operation in Haliburton County, with seven four-man huts and five two-man huts on Boshkung Lake.

The average depth of Boshkung is 76 feet, and the deepest spot is 233 feet. Grosschadl has the huts spread out between 50 and 70 feet, "so it give people a little bit of a choice as to how deep they want to fish."

Those who ice fish at the Clansman use a tip-up, a simple contraption that balances on a stand and holds the line in the water. All lines are rigged with a spreader, which enables the use of more than one hook.

Most people fish for either lake trout or whitefish, and Grosschadl says it's helpful to know the characteristics of both types.

"If a lake trout takes the minnow, the tip-up will move down. But a whitefish tends to take the minnow and move up. It's nice to know the difference, because a whitefish has a softer mouth, so you don't want to set the hook too hard or you could lose the fish. Instead, you want to play her a little bit easier."

Although you can use more expensive equipment, Grosschadl prefers the basic tip-up and stand, which anyone can easily make with a few pieces of wood. "If you're fishing with



Avid ice fisherman Peter Windover shows off a day's catch — two fair-sized lake trout caught in Gull Lake.

elaborate tools and you lose a screw, then your bugged up," he says.

Another popular type of ice fishing is jigging, where you use a lure at the end of the line, and keep action on the stick to simulate a moving minnow.

"Jigging is good for a couple of reasons," says Grosschadl. "The lure really catches the light, so you could catch a fish on the lure or just attract it to the hut and draw it to your minnows. It's a nice way of spreading your odds."

Once in a blue moon, someone gets caught with a lure from another hut. When this happened to Grosschadl, he decided to have some fun with it.

"One time when I was jigging, I felt something catch and I realized I got caught with another guy. So I gave him a battle for 10 minutes. He just yelled, because he thought he had a big one. Finally, I decided to cut the line, and it heard him cursing because he thought he lost it."

"My first impulse was to tell him what I did. But the rest of the day he was telling everybody about this big fish, so I wasn't about to break his heart."

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Surrounded by fish huts on a brisk afternoon, Gary Grosschadl of the Clansman Motel cleans out one of the many fishing holes drilled into the ice on Boshkung Lake.

The One That Got Away...

(from page 8)

Tales of "the one that got away" run rampant around fishing holes. On the other end of the spectrum, Grosschadl has a story about the one that jumped right into his hands... well, sort of.

A father and son were fishing in holes cut about 60 feet apart. Suddenly, both had a fish on their line. It didn't take long for Grosschadl to realize they both had snagged the same fish.

"The dad had the heavier line, so they cut the boy's line in order to bring the fish up," he says. "It was a big one, and I had the gaff ready to hook it by the gill and pull it out. As the dad pulled the line, we could only see the side of the fish. But then all of a sudden, the tail flashed out of the hole. I had a glove on, so I just grabbed his tail, and got the fish out of the hole like a rabbit out of a hat."

Quite often, a fish will pull the tip-up into the water, so it's a good idea to put a stick or two over the hole to jam the line, says Grosschadl.

"You can religiously watch your line for hours, and not even get a nibble. Then you come back after a short stroll and find your line is gone."

There are few experiences more exhilarating than pulling a fish up out of the water — but that doesn't mean the game is over.

Actually, it's not unusual to pull a fish out of the hole, and then watch it jump back into the icy depths of the water. And that really hurts, says Grosschadl.

"When you've landed a fish, you think you've got it in the frying pan. But some people hold the fish over the hole and drop it back in. Once you've done that, whenever you catch a fish you throw it outside the door."

Each year, Grosschadl meets novice ice fishermen. "So that's an indication that it's always getting more popular," he says.

From his experiences, Grosschadl has learned there's no such thing as the typical ice fisherman.

"You meet some interesting people from all walks of life when you're ice fishing, from doctors to stockbrokers to ex-Toronto Argonauts. There's no real stereotype for an ice fisherman. Some people think it's for country bumpkins, but it's for



These laid-off Ready Mix drivers from Newmarket recently travelled to The Clansman Motel to enjoy a day of ice fishing. Unfortunately, after a day of patiently waiting for a strike, they came up empty-handed.

everybody."

Anyone interested in trying the sport should first rent a hut with all the trappings before investing in their own equipment — many businesses in the area offer the service.

Also, the World Ice Fishing Championship was held at Simcoe on February 5 to 11. This was the first time any world fishing competition was ever held in Canada, says Grosschadl.

But those who aren't ready for world-wide competition have

been taking part in a contest run by Jon Hill of Minden Live Bait and Tackle, for the largest fish brought to the store by March 31, 1992.

There is no limit on the number of fish weighed in, and the prizes are \$150 in tackle for first, \$75 in tackle for second, and \$25 in tackle for third place.

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Hartwick emerges at top of heap

Hartwick Construction has taken a clear lead in the Minden Men's Recreational Hockey League round robin play-offs. Hartwick blasted The Times 7-4 last Monday to move into the lead with five points. Westside Jug City, previously tied with Hartwick, fell one point behind when they emerged with a 2-2 tie in a game with Home Hardware. In a surprising upset, Sid Stamp Fuels moved from the bottom of the six team league to a tie in third place with their 5-0 blanking of Kountry Double D Catering.

The teams move into the fourth round of the five game series tonight, and it is still mathematically possible for any of them to finish in the top spot. However, it is likely tonight's

action will give a clear indication of the serious contenders for the two play-off positions.

The opening game last Monday followed in line with the action so far in the Men's League play-off series. Tight checking, fast end-to-end rushing and agile goaltending left Home and Westside with two goals a piece.

Jeff Howe was the lead marksman for Westside, scoring both goals, the second unassisted. On his first, Ron May and Mike Keaney picked up assists.

Daryl Ward and Dean Hewitt shared the scoring honours for Home Hardware with Glenn Hall and Gary Harrison picking up an assist each.

Terry Crowe was in the Home net while Ron Telford stood guard for Westside.

The second game of the evening was reminiscent of the regular league action with the teams trading goals through the first period at a steady pace with Hartwick dominating in the second frame to emerge with a 7-4 edge over The Times. Barry Boice led the charge for Hartwick with a four goal, two assist performance. One of his goals was an unassisted effort. Kevin Hamilton scored a pair for the winners and added three assists to his tally. The other Hartwick marker came from an unidentified player. Assists went to Jeff Stamp with a pair and singles from Sid MacKeigan and Brian Marquette.



Westside netminder Ron Telford stretches to steer a Home Hardware shot off the stick of Dean Hewitt (2). The shot touched the twine and gave Home a temporary 2-1 lead part way through the second period of last Monday's game.

Doug Allison was the leading scorer for The Times with a pair, one unassisted. Derek Allison and Derek Moore added singles to complete The Times score. Derek Allison picked up an assist as did Ivan Ingram with a pair, and Irwin Asbell with a single.

Rob Crowe was in net for Hartwick while Newfer Burk was The Times netminder.

The final game belonged to Sid Stamp Fuels. Shawn Gilligan did most of the damage scoring three goals and assisting on one other. Dave Pettes scored the other two and assisted

on two of the Gilligan markers. Also picking up assists were Ted Vasey and Joachim Matysek with a pair each.

Kevin Smith earned the shut-out for Stamps while Duane Lennie was the Double D netminder.

There are two more nights in the round-robin series. Tonight sees Times playing Home at 8 p.m. The second contest, at 9 p.m., sees Stamp play Westside, while Double D takes on Hartwick at 10 p.m. Admission to the games is free of charge.

Play-off standings

Men's League	Win	Los	Ties	Pts
Hartwick	2	0	1	5
Westside	1	0	2	4
Home	0	0	3	3
Sid Stamp	1	1	1	3
Times	0	1	2	2
KDD	0	2	1	1



Vegas bound

Hoping their luck continues, Barry Thompson, left, and Jim Kirk, right accepts vacation packages in Las Vegas Nevada Dwight Thomas. The holiday prize was offered in a fund-raising raffle organized by the Minden Curling Club.

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Break doesn't hurt team's performance

The two week layoff after defeating Sutton in the first round in of playoffs didn't hurt the performance of the Tri-County Pee Wees when they returned to the ice last week.

Scoring in the first minute of play the Pee Wees never looked back and went on to defeat Cannington 5-2 in a fast, exciting game.

This was the first of eight games in a round robin playoff with Cannington, Ops, Omemee and Manvers.

It was an excellent display of two way hockey by the team with some sharp netminding by Kirk Smith.

Scoring for Minden were Travis Leonard with 2 goals, Nathan Stephenson with 1 goal, Paul Murray with 1 goal, Darren Mills with 1 goal, 1 assist, Donald Todd with 2 assists and Sheamus Donnery with 1 assist.

Future home games are: Tuesday, March 3 at 8 p.m., Tuesday, March 10 at 8 p.m. and Saturday, March 21 at 10 a.m.

Hope to see you there.



Travis Leonard closes in on the Cannington goalie during last Tuesday's game in the Tri-County Pee Wee round

robin play-off series. Leonard scored two goals to lead his team to a 5-2 win.



Sweet success

Members of the OMHA Novice Minden Monarchs gather around a five pound chocolate bar awarded to the team for their leading salesmanship role in a Minor Hockey fund-raising project. The team sold more packages of chocolate covered almonds than any other Minden squad to win the giant bar. Members of the team include, from the left, front row, Gary Kernohan, Trevor Cole, Mitch Johnson, Shayne Walker, Danny Neilson; second row, Trevor Woods, Ashley Pettes, Gayton Davis, Paul Daniels, Jarret Rowden, Rich Kinsman and Josh Shaw.

Hydro C's win opener

The Ontario Hydro "C" put together a good effort to win first playoff game against Ops #1.

Minden opened the scoring at 2:48 of the first on a great three-way passing play from Andy Kinsman to Nicholas Mitchell, to the stick of James Colliss to score.

Minden's hot scorer of late, Ben Carpenter scored at 9:00 of the second period on a breakaway pass from Adam Tomlinson. Adam then scored 57 seconds later from Graham Neave.

The third period, Jordan Campbell picked up a rebound from Ben Carpenter's attempt to make it 4-0 and then Ben added his second of the game at 3:50 of the period, unassisted. Ops managed to score at 1:21 to make the final 5-1.

Good game boys. The boys now take on Cannington in the next playoff game.

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Earl Haynes and Doreen Bullied stroke through the balloon bedecked water of the PineStone swimming pool raising money for the Ontario Heart and Stroke Foundation. They were two of a number of senior swimmers who have gathered pledges and will spend two 15 minute sessions swimming lengths at the pool. Scrutineers at the far end of the pool keep track of the number of lengths the swimmers complete.

Swimmers go to great lengths

While PineStone Inn has been dark and quiet for the past few months, last week the pool area was a hive of activity and noise. The occasion was the annual Heart Fitness Swim.

The event provides an opportunity for swimmers to demonstrate the fitness value of swimming, and at the same time raise funds for the Ontario Heart and Stroke Foundation.

Co-ordinated province-wide by Masters Swimming Ontario, the goal of the program is to encourage non-competitive swimming as a beneficial cardiovascular activity for everyone.

The Master Swimmers

and Heart and Stroke Foundation co-ordinated their efforts four years ago to create a fund-raising vehicle for the charity. Swimmers of any age level can participate.

The format is flexible, allowing swimmers to complete their laps sometime during February and March in any pool in Ontario. The seniors of Haliburton county have broken their effort into two heats, the first of which was completed last week. They will be in the pool for the second leg this week.

Last year close to 2000 swimmers across the province raised over \$181,000 for education for and research into heart disease and stroke.

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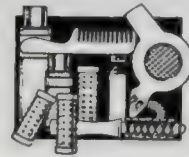
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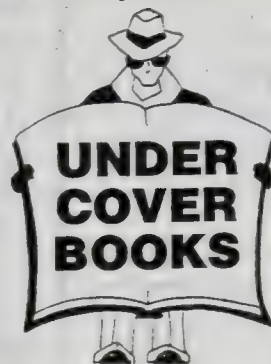
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The 1992 federal budget provides realistic, long lasting solutions to Canada's economic problems, not quick fixes.

The government is adjusting to the same budget realities that households and businesses face every day. That means belt tightening, not spending. The measures in this budget are economically, socially and fiscally responsible, providing help where it is needed most.

Personal income taxes will be cut. Over 14 million

Report from Ottawa

from the office of Bill Scott, MP

individual taxpayers will enjoy higher disposable income as a result of this budget.

Home buyers and builders will benefit. The government's Home Buyer's Plan will allow Canadians to use existing funds in their RRSP's to buy or build a principal residence.

The budget also includes a plan to increase benefits for families with children. In determining how best to meet the needs of children in Canada, the government is introducing a major reform of the existing system of child tax benefits. Under the new proposals, one monthly child

tax benefit will replace the current patchwork of assistance. The single monthly payment will make the system simpler and more responsive to family needs by targeting it more fairly to low and middle income families.

Canadians with disabilities will receive increased support. Students will be provided with additional tax assistance and the government will increase support for research and development and encourage productive investment.

Businesses will get a shot in the arm by a reduction in the tax burden for the manufacturing and processing sectors. Small businesses in difficulty will benefit from the

Small Business Financing program. The bottom line impact of these measures will be more investment and more jobs. In fact, more than 500,000 more jobs will be created by the end of next year.

Good social policy and good economic policy go hand in hand. That's what this budget delivers. The government has clearly signalled that it supports the well-being of Canadians and their families by cutting the costs of government spending not by increasing the burden of borrowing and taxing.

The 1992 budget will substantially reduce the deficit. Despite the economic slowdown, the government held

the deficit last year to \$31.4 billion and will reduce it by almost \$4 billion this year. Spending will be cut by \$1 billion this year and by \$7 billion over the next five years. These savings will be used to cut taxes.

Defence spending will be cut and the budgets of all other federal departments will be reduced. All first class travel for Members of Parliament, Senators and senior public servants will be eliminated and international travel will be curtailed. Forty six government organizations will be either eliminated, deferred or merged with other operations. And the govern-

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Livingstone Lake cottage trashed

During the week 17-23, February 1992, officers of the Minden Detachment investigated numerous incidents and four snow vehicle accidents with one person injured, and six automobile accidents with one person being injured.

Thefts Around The County

Little Bob Lake — Pioneer radio, ladder, clothing, Benchmark tool box, Makita and Milwaukee power tools

Lochlin area — 1990 Arctic Cat 650 black/green snow vehicle Ontario licence 657736

Gull Lake — Sony 21" tv, Toshiba amplifier, Monoray 90 Shaperal satellite receiver, Phillips VCR, .22 calibre rifle

Stan's Shell, Haliburton — cigarettes, tobacco and change

Prentice Berry Ltd., Minden — 1991 Ski Doo Safari yellow, 1991 Ski Doo Safari black, 1992 Ski Doo Safari Black

Howland Junction, Irondale — Antiques as described: four wood decoy ducks, china wash basin and shaving mug both trimmed with green flowers, pink stin glass table lamp with brass base, 12" china bowl yellow in colour, silver pickle bowl, silver salt, pepper and mustard set, silver butter dish with lid.

Charged Impaired Driving

Blake McINTYRE, age 33, of Minden has

Police briefs

been charged with impaired operation of a vehicle and being over the legal limit of 80 mgs after being stopped by police on 22 February 1992. McINTYRE is scheduled to appear in court March 4, 1992.

Cottage Trashed

Overnight 21-22 February 1992 a cottage located on Livingstone Lake was entered and trashed. Damage is noted as being extensive, but no value is available at this time.

School Bus Passing

Police have received numerous complaints of school buses being passed while they are taking on or discharging passengers and the signal lights are activated. Drivers are reminded that when school bus signal lights are activated and the stop arm is extended, they are required to stop in both directions and remain stopped until the signals are discontinued.

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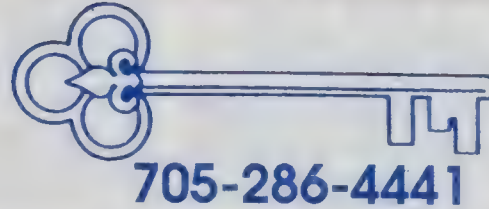
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PM and ministers to take pay cut

(from page 14)

ment will continue to privatize Crown Corporations and dispose of surplus assets.

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The measures outlined in

this budget respond to the desire of Canadians to have a more expansive economy and a less expensive government. They will help ensure a stronger, more productive

economy better able to create the jobs that Canadians need; and a leaner more efficient government better able to deliver the services Canadians need.

Kids' Korner

by Jean Lacey

Hi kids! Here's another word search to challenge you. See if you can find the words listed below in the maze. The words are hidden horizontally, vertically, and diagonally, both forward and backward.

Have fun and good luck.

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(Q) If twelve make a dozen, how many make a million?

(A) Very few.

(Q) What did one wig say to another?

(A) I love you so much I'd even curl up and dye.

(Q) How do you catch an elephant?

(A) But a fishing pole and put a peanut on the end.

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(Q) Where do jelly fish get their Jelly?

(A) From Ocean currents.



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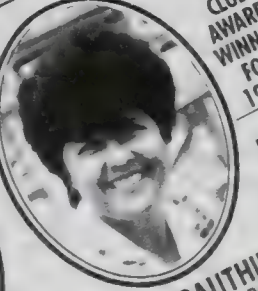
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Special program planned for March break

March is coming in like a lion at C.H.A.C.E. — charged with energy and excitement!

The programming at our centres is always filled with exciting events and March is no exception.

Our Minden Resource Centre is featuring a special visit from Constable Mike Maybee.

Mike kindly thrills the kids at both our Resource Centres and our Day Care each year with his helpful precautions on safety and this year he is speaking at Minden C.H.A.C.E. Place at 11:00 a.m. on March 4th to give his tips on Spring Safety.

Parents and caregivers at our Haliburton Resource Centre will enjoy once again our annual P. J. Breakfast. The children are tickled to be able to wear their favorite pyjamas into C.H.A.C.E. Place and its always a special

CHACE Update

by Sue Valm, Executive Director

giggle to admire the adults' evening attire!

Although there is normally no cost to use our Resource Centres, we are asking families who sign up for the P.J. Breakie to contribute \$2.50 per family to help cover the food costs of this special event.

Both our Resource Centres are featuring a series of workshops over the month of March on "Stress".

Whether our caregiving role is that of a parent or a paid caregiver, taking care of ourselves is a crucial element in being the nurturing caregiver we all strive to be. Annegreth Gerrard, of the Y.W.C.A.'s Women's

Safety Network, is sharing her insight into Stress Management with C.H.A.C.E. through the delivery of this series of free workshops.

If you would like to attend any of these sessions, please call the Supervisor of the Haliburton Resource Centre at 457-2989 or the Minden Resource Centre Supervisor at 286-1770 for dates and times.

Speaking of stress .. March Break will soon be upon us and you'll be relieved to know that our Resource Centres have prepared special programming which includes older children and our School Aged Program at our Day Care has full day spaces avail-

able for enrolled families!

The Haliburton Resource Centre is hosting a pajama breakfast at 10 a.m. on March 18.

Our Day Care is also busy readying plans for its annual Hop-a-Thon. During this event, our children give their all and hop their little hearts out in an effort to raise money to help fight the battle against Muscular Dystrophy.

If you would like to sponsor a child for a specific number of hops, please call our Day Care Supervisor at 286-4074 — your contribution means a lot.

Like many agencies, we too need to ask for donations of your time or money. Being a charitable organization ourselves, we truly value the gift of giving. In turn, we give in the ways we can — like the Muscular Dystrophy Hop-A-Thon.

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If you would like to find out ways in which you could give or more information on our licensed Private Home Day Care, Day Care Centre or either of our Resource Centres, please take a moment to call the Head Office of C.H.A.C.E. Inc. at 457-2989. We'd love to help you.

Staanworth resident says 'goodbye'

Staanworth Court Residents came together to share a good-bye luncheon for Siiri Mielonen who is moving to Sudbury to be near her daughter and grand-children. We will all miss her very much,

especially her dart team who all counted on her eagle eye to "hit the board", right in the centre! We wish her happiness in her new home.

Some of the residents wandered into town to enjoy

the Sled Dog races while most of us enjoyed the coziness of our home, eagerly waiting the first breath of spring.

Art and Jean Marsh have been away babysitting for the

past month but we hope to see them back next week.

Perhaps we should end with A MINUTE.....

Two or three minutes - two or three hours -

What do they mean in this life of ours?

Not very much if but counted as time.

But minutes of gold and hours sublime

If we will make use of them once in a while

To make someone happy, or make someone smile.

A minute may dry a little lad's tears;

An hour may sweep aside trouble of years;

Minutes of my time may bring to an end

Hopelessness, somewhere, and give me a friend!

-Anon.-

Tax credits available to those with prolonged handicaps

by Doreen Hawman

The disability tax credit is a special credit available to individuals who have a prolonged mental or physical impairment, the effects of which are severe.

Severe means that the effects of the impairment markedly restrict all or substantially all of the time, the ability to perform basic activities of daily living, and the impairment has lasted or can reasonably be expected to last for a continuous period of at least 12 months.

For the purpose of the disability tax credit, these activi-

ties are: feeding and dressing, walking, speaking, hearing, eliminating (bowel and bladder functions), cognitive functions (namely perceiving, thinking and remembering).

The credit is a non-refundable tax credit that reduces the amount of federal income tax you pay.

It is called "non-refundable" because, even if you do not need the full amount to reduce your tax payable to zero, you do not receive a refund for the difference.

Further information and the necessary forms are available at your nearest Informa-

tion Center.

In Haliburton, the office is located in the Drag River Municipal building, Maple Ave., open Monday - Friday 10:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. Phone 457-2733.

For residents of the Minden area, the center in the Anson, Hindon and Minden building, Milne St., is open Monday and Tuesday, 10:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. Phone 286-4100.



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It is through a user fee of \$10.00 per visit and through community and service club donations that assist the Branch in financing the Foot Care Program. VON are most appreciative of the Minden Royal Canadian Legion, Hyland Crest Senior Citizen's Home and Management of Staunworth Court,

who have made a commitment to support the Minden Clinic.

Community volunteers also make a valuable contribution to the Foot Care Program. In Minden, the Foot

Care Clinics are held the 1st Tuesday of the month at Staunworth Court. The cost for the visit is \$10.00 and appointments are necessary. Please call Mrs. Muriel Mark 286-2260, Monday and

Thursday AM for an appointment at Hyland Crest.

If you are a resident of Staunworth Court, Staunworth Terrace and Sunrise Apartments, please call Mrs. Elsie Bursey 286-1912.

A Tribute To New York

Due to transcript errors, we are repeating this prose:

A TRIBUTE TO NEW YORK

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I love its mysteries, Its talents, Deniro, Sinatra, Lanza, Placido, etc.

The wonderful talent that you can only find in New York.

These little town shoes are not for me,

I love businesses, the magic

It's something you can

never find,

But you seek, let your hair down and be free

In that wonderful somewhere, New York.

Anyone who has seen Sinatra in concert

As I have at the Brooklyn Paramount,

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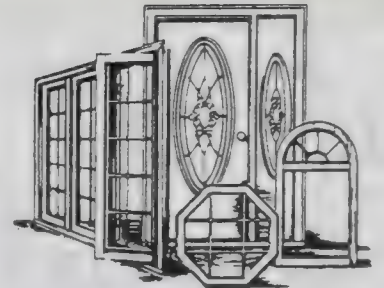
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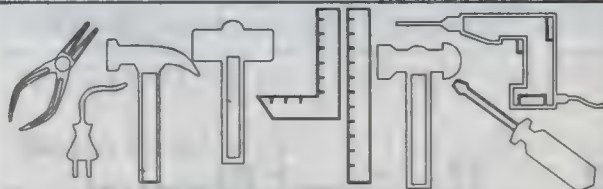


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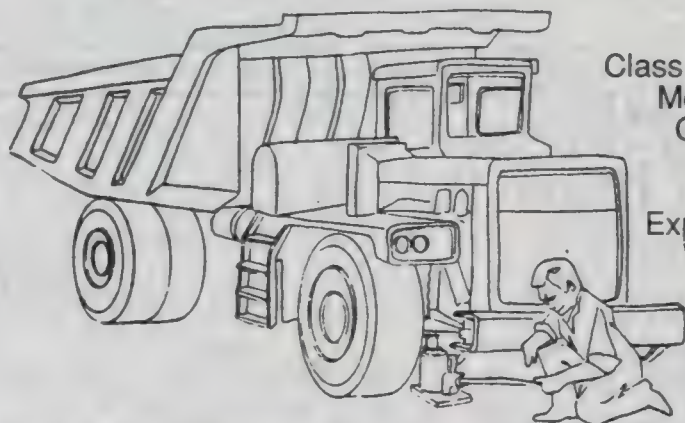
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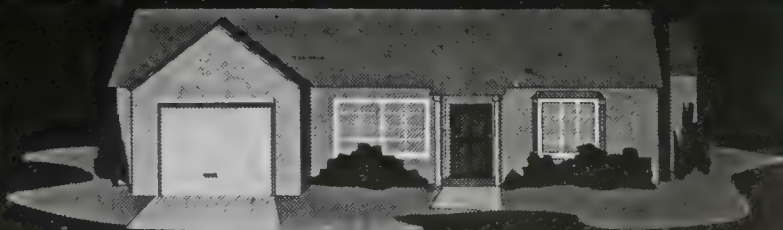
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Chamber will review government affairs

Policies and regulations enacted by our governing bodies, whether federal, provincial or municipal, all have an effect on the environment in which a business operates.

When our current Board assumed office, we felt that now was the time for the County Council and Chamber to look to the future and work co-operatively towards strengthening our local economies.

As a means of informing our membership of how a piece of legislation or a budget could affect their investment, a Government Affairs Committee was created from within.

We will attempt to review and comment on items of interest, and if sufficient interest from the business community is shown, provide a guest speaker or form the discuss current affairs. One such

Chamber News

by Brian Moore

piece of legislation now being formulated at Queens Park is a new set of Labour Laws.

The proposed amendments were developed by a committee of business and union representatives, which, when they reported back to the Government, issued diversely opposing views and recommendations.

Leaked sources show that the government is leaning toward adopting the Labour proposals, which would strengthen the powers of unions and employee rights.

Although some review and changes are needed to the current Act, many of the proposals changes are needed to

the small business operators. We hope that in the next few weeks, we will be able to provide a more detailed analysis of the provincial government's proposals.

Chamber President Rhonda Elstone summed up the Chamber's Budget Proposal and grant request to County Council at their February 19 sitting.

After two months of reviewing our goals and objectives as a Board, the committee of Ann Martino, Brian Dean, Rhonda and Brian Moore took careful aim at eliminating waste, and at setting a new tone to our relationship with Council.

Although some reeves have a previously stated position, it is our belief that by encouraging the tourist to seek Haliburton County as their vacation destination, there would be a direct impact on the economy.

If the tourist trade is left to hang in the wind, businesses will be forced to close. This creates a smaller commercial tax base from which roughly \$2.5 million was collected in 1991.

Fewer available jobs equates into more persons on the county welfare budget, which means that the taxpayer remaining will be required to foot the bill even further.

The cycle is endless. Now we do not advocate huge 30 to 40 percent increases, but somewhere, somebody has to try and break free of the cycle.

The councillors were very attentive, and some constructive discussion followed our

presentation.

We hope that the public forums used for the budgeting process are successful, answering the concerns of all interested parties.

As a Chamber Board, we are looking at providing the businesses of the county with a wider range of service.

If you are not currently a member, or have questions on membership, we wish to hear from you. There are some great advantages.

Senior Curlers beat February blahs with song and dance

by Aileen Blears

There was a sound of revelry by night

And Belgium's capital had gathered then

Her beauty and her chivalry, and bright

The lamps shone o'er fair women and brave men. (Byron; Waterloo)

It was not set in Belgium's capital, but in Minden, the County Seat of Haliburton. The ladies were not wasp-waisted and ringleted, but mature women of charm and grace. The men showed much fortitude as they bravely, and with smiling faces, trod the floor urged on, no doubt, by wives and friends.

This then, was the 'Beat Back The February Blahs

Dance' of the Minden Senior Curling Club, and, from the sights and sounds of the evening, 'Mission Accomplished'.

Harold McCarthy was, as usual, a great MC. He kept the music and the dancers whipped up to a seniors fever pitch.

By now, Angela O'Neill must be a household name in Minden as she, time after time, comes up with great food. Nancy Cook was in charge of the kitchen. She was backed up by some of the lady members.

There were very nice prizes for spot dances, and many door prizes.

Four curling clubs took part in the Round Robin which was held at Minden on Tuesday, February 18.

There were teams from Fenlon Falls, Bobcageon, Haliburton and Minden. Ed Pickard's Haliburton team was the big winner.

He had with him Don Cameron, Lew Brown and Don Avison. Second place went to Minden as Tom Hurta skipped his team with the expertise of many years experience.

Norm Gilmore viced, Stan Hill and Jack Robson were the front end. Bill East's Bobcageon team came in third.

Great stews rolls, and pie were served for lunch, again thanks to Angela O'Neill and her helpers. Please note that she was only kidding when she suggested that the men wear 'availability signs' next year.

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My niece and the daughter of my husband's sister came to see me and talk over past times.

Sunday chapel service was conducted by Rev. John Burgess with Alice Jones at the organ. The service was short which is better for us seniors since our memories are so short. Thank you John and Alice.

Monday, we had Bible class at one o'clock given by Evelyn Coleman. No matter how well you think you know a passage, Evelyn usually brings up something we had not known. Thank you Evelyn.

In the afternoon of Tuesday, January 18, Jean Sears, Freda Hulbig, Helen Schelding, Mary Wilson and Mabel Deacon came volunteering to help us play euchre, cribbage and crokinole. We spent an enjoyable afternoon. Thanks to all the ladies for helping us.

Monday evening Ruth and Allan Rice showed the movies in the auditorium. They were two reels of "A

Senior League

by Winnifred Barnum

Tale of Two Cities". Thank you Ruth and Allan.

Tuesday morning chapel service was conducted by Rev. Ed Moll. The residents sincerely thank him.

Wednesday, Linda Fry organized a cooking class to make our noon lunch. Each resident was given a certain part of the lunch to prepare. The menu consisted of Caesar salad, pizza and buttermilk pie (you should try it).

When everything was ready, Lola Prentice, Alice Todd, Ellen Bastien, Alice Rivers, May Horsley, Jean Taylor, Nora Groves, Winnifred Barnum, Harry Hughes and John Macklin sat down to a nicely set table to enjoy our labors and it was delicious.

We slightly overdid the amount needed so the administration staff were invited to a second table setting who thoroughly enjoyed our lunch menu. Led by Nora Groves, short work was made of the dishwashing.

In the afternoon, Doris

had a "Dear Abby" question period that everyone took part in.

Pastor Murray held a service in the Trillium Lounge that evening. Thanks Pastor Murray.

Thursday's tea party was prepared and served by the Senior Ladies Curling Club; Nancy Cook, Merle Codlin, Terry Campbell, Aileen Blears, Georgina Deeks, Vi Walsh and her husband Ken Walsh.

It was a delicious lunch and we would like to thank all the ladies heartily for their kindness.

Thursday evening, Nancy and Troy Briggs called Bingo. We surely appreciate them coming to help us have a happy evening.

Doris Robertson had an unpleasant illness Thursday morning which required her to return home. Sorry Doris.

A short but helpful meeting of the Residents Council was held in the Primrose Lounge by the executives to discuss questions on long

term health care.

Friday was Happy Hour in the auditorium. The entertainment was provided by Carmon Peters, Al Blanchard, Lloyd Madill, Bill Payne and George Hunt.

There was a good time of stirring music from this group

of players. The residents sincerely thank them. Volunteers to care for everyone's needs were Don and Ellen Holden, Mary Guilieman and Janke Thomas.

My sister and family came Friday afternoon and took me to Extencicare to

visit Petra Pequegnat who is a resident there. I saw the names of many I knew such as Wilma Watt, Mrs. Bryant and Jack Pollard.

We all had lunch in Minden and then my guests returned to Peterborough.

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Dorset acid rain report

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This reports covers the period of February 16 to 22, 1992. February 18th, 4mm of mixed rain and snow fell with a pH level of 4.0 and the air path was Southern Ontario/Eastern Ohio.

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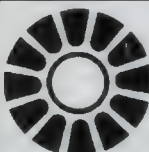
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This Week On T.V.

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channel 2
GLOBAL

Mon., March 2		Tues., March 3	
5:30	Global News	5:30	Global News
7:00	Entertainment Tonight	7:00	Entertainment Tonight
7:30	Top Cops	7:30	Top Cops
8:00	Coach		
8:30	Major Dad		
9:00	Miniseries: "Grass Roots" 2 of 2		
11:00	The World Tonight		
11:30	Sportsline		
12:05	Cops		

channel 3
CKVR

Mon., March 2		Tues., March 3	
6:00	Total News	6:00	Total News
7:00	All In the Family	7:00	All In the Family
7:30	Max Glick	7:30	Happy Days
8:00	Fresh Prince	8:00	Newsheadlines
8:30	Degrassi Talks	8:01	Fifth Estate
9:00	Material World	9:00	Marketplace
9:30	Designing Women	9:30	Man Alive
10:00	The National & The Journal	10:00	The National/The Journal
11:00	Total News	11:00	Total News
11:35	Tonight Show	11:35	The Tonight Show
12:35	Perry Mason	12:35	Perry Mason
1:35	Mary Tyler Moore	1:35	Mary Tyler Moore
2:05	Bob Newhart	2:05	Bob Newhart
2:35	Taxi	2:35	Taxi

8:00	Beverly Hills 90210
9:00	Growing Pains
9:30	The Happy Days Reunion Special
11:00	Global News
11:30	Sportsline
12:05	Cops
12:35	Late Night with David Letterman
1:35	Mod Squad
2:05	Room 222
3:05	Night Music
4:05	Night Ride

Wed., March 4

5:30	Global News
7:00	Entertainment Tonight
7:30	Top Cops
8:00	Brooklyn Bridge
8:30	Doogie Howser, M.D.
9:00	Seinfeld
9:30	Global Leaf Hockey
12:30	Global News
12:45	Sportsline
1:00	Late Night With David Letterman
2:00	Mod Squad
3:00	Room 222
4:00	Night Ride
4:30	Night Music

Wed., March 4

6:00	Total News
7:00	All In the Family
7:30	Happy Days
8:00	National Geographic
9:01	Newsline
9:02	Nature of Things
10:00	The National & The Journal
11:00	Total News
11:35	The Tonight Show
12:35	Perry Mason
1:35	Mary Tyler Moore
2:05	Bob Newhart
2:35	Taxi

Thurs., March 5

6:00	Total News
7:00	All In the Family
7:30	Happy Days
8:00	Jacques Cousteau Rediscovery "Papau New Guinea" pt. 2
9:00	Runaway with the Rich & Famous
9:30	Ski Base

Thurs., March 5

5:30	Global News
7:00	Entertainment Tonight
7:30	Top Cops
8:00	Simpsons
8:30	Drexell's Class
9:00	Cheers
9:30	Wings
10:00	L.A. Law
11:00	Global News
11:30	Sportsline
12:05	In Living Color
12:35	Late Night with David Letterman
1:35	Mob Squad
2:35	Room 222
3:05	Night Ride
3:35	Night Music

Fri., March 6

5:30	Global News
7:00	Entertainment Tonight
7:30	Top Cops
8:00	America's Most Wanted
9:00	Baby Talk
9:30	Who's the Boss?
10:00	Boys of Twilight
11:00	Global News
11:30	Sportsline

10:00	The National & The Journal
11:00	Total News
11:35	The Tonight Show
12:35	Perry Mason
1:35	Mary Tyler Moore
2:05	Bob Newhart
2:35	Taxi

Fri., March 6

6:00	Total News
7:00	All In the Family
7:30	Happy Days
8:00	Golden Girls
8:30	Empty Nest
9:00	Street Legal
10:00	The National & The Journal
11:00	Total News
11:35	The Tonight Show
12:35	Perry Mason
1:35	Movie: Charlie Chan's Murder Cruise
3:09	Three Stooges
3:30	Bob Newhart
4:00	Movie: Executive Syndrome

12:05	In Living Color
12:35	Late Night with David Letterman
1:35	World Vision
2:35	Room 222
3:05	Night Ride

Sat., March 7

6:30	Wizard of Oz
7:00	Care Bears
7:30	Beetlejuice
8:00	Tiny Toons
8:30	Yo Yogi
9:00	Super Mario World
9:30	Beetlejuice
10:00	Slimer and the Ghostbusters
10:30	Pirates of Dark Water
11:00	Back to the Future
11:30	Dennis The Menace
12:00	Hobby Garden
12:30	Kids Beat
1:00	The World Tomorrow
1:30	Dance Mix
2:00	OHL Hockey: Ottawa at Oshawa
5:00	Bugs & Tweety Show
6:00	The Saturday Report
6:30	Focus Ontario
7:00	The Time of your Life
7:30	The Leafs This Week
8:00	Capital Critters
8:30	The Powers That Be

9:30	Growing Pains
10:00	The Commish
11:00	Global News
11:30	Saturday Night Live
1:00	Elvira's Movie: Inn of the Damned
3:00	Mod Squad
4:00	Night Moves
5:00	Night Music

Sun., March 8

6:00	Circle Square
6:30	Something Else
7:00	Kidstreet
7:30	Hammerman
8:00	Tiny Toons
8:30	Tiny Toons
9:00	Pro Stars
9:30	Beetlejuice
10:00	Jimmy Swaggart
11:00	Hour of Power
12:00	Caracol
12:30	Festival Italiano
2:00	World Vision
3:00	Terry Winter
3:30	Dr John Wesley White
4:00	World Tomorrow
4:30	Moneysense
5:00	Bugs Bunny & Tweety
6:00	Your Canada
7:00	60 Minutes
8:00	Murder, She Wrote

Monday, March 2, 1992

9:00	Married with Children
9:30	Married with Children
10:00	Millennium
11:00	The World Tonight
11:30	Sportsline
12:00	Entertainment Tonight
1:00	Paid Programming
1:30	Mod Squad
2:30	The Movie Show
3:00	Night Music
4:00	Night Ride

Mon., March 9

5:30	Global News
7:00	Entertainment Tonight
7:30	Top Cops
8:00	Coach
8:30	Major Dad
9:00	In the Heat of the Night
10:00	Quantum Leap
11:00	The World Tonight
11:30	Sportsline
12:05	Cops
12:35	Late Night with David Letterman
1:35	Flying Doctors
2:35	Room 222
3:05	Night Ride
5:00	Night Music

Mon., March 9

6:00	Disney
7:00	Road To Avonlea
8:00	Gemini Awards
10:00	Sunday Report
10:25	Venture
10:53	Nations Business
11:00	Total News
11:30	Ski Base
12:00	T.B.A.
1:00	Heroes
6:00	Total News
7:00	All In the Family
7:30	Jellybean Odyssey
8:00	Fresh Prince
8:30	Degrassi Talks
9:00	Material World
9:30	Designing Women
10:00	The National & The Journal
11:00	Total News
11:35	Tonight Show
12:35	Perry Mason
1:35	Mary Tyler Moore
2:05	Bob Newhart
2:35	Taxi

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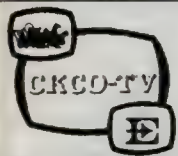
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channel 11
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Mon., March 2

6:00	Scan Newshour	8:30	Home Improvements
7:00	Wheel of Fortune	9:00	Roseanne
7:30	Candid Camera	9:30	Billy
8:00	Evening Shade	10:00	Law & Order
8:30	Blossom	11:00	CTV National News
9:00	Movie: Lock Up	11:30	The Ontario Report
11:00	CTV National News	12:00	All In The Family
11:30	The Ontario Report	12:30	Studs
12:00	Studs	1:00	Soap
12:30	The Dennis Miller Show	1:30	Head of the Class
2:00	Soap		

Tues., March 3

6:00	Scan Newshour	8:00	Unsolved Mysteries
7:00	Wheel of Fortune	9:00	Jake & The Fatman
7:30	Candid Camera	10:00	Matlock
8:00	Full House	11:00	CTV News
		11:30	The Ontario Report

Wed., March 4

6:00	Scan Newshour	8:00	Unsolved Mysteries
7:00	Wheel of Fortune	9:00	Jake & The Fatman
7:30	Candid Camera	10:00	Matlock
8:00	Full House	11:00	CTV News
		11:30	The Ontario Report

Thurs., March 5

6:00	Scan Newshour	8:00	Unsolved Mysteries
7:00	Wheel of Fortune	9:00	Jake & The Fatman
7:30	Candid Camera	10:00	Matlock
8:00	Cosby Show	11:00	CTV News
8:30	Different World	11:30	The Ontario Report
9:00	E.N.G.		
10:00	Knots Landing		
11:00	CTV National News		
11:30	The Ontario Report		
12:00	Studs		
12:30	The Dennis Miller Show		
1:30	All In The Family		
2:00	Soap		

Fri., March 6

6:00	Scan Newshour	8:00	Unsolved Mysteries
7:00	Wheel of Fortune	9:00	Jake & The Fatman
7:30	Candid Camera	10:00	Matlock
8:00	Family Matters	11:00	CTV News
8:30	Perfect Strangers	11:30	The Ontario Report
9:00	Movie: Ghost Dad		
11:00	CTV News		
11:30	The Ontario Report		
12:00	Studs		
12:30	The Dennis Miller Show		
1:30	All In The Family		
2:00	Soap		

Sat., March 7

11:00	Newswatch	12:30	Movie: Red Kiss
11:30	Newhart		
12:00	Star Trek		

Thurs., March 5

6:00	Newswatch	8:00	The Fifth Estate
7:00	Wheel of Fortune	9:00	Marketplace
7:30	Candid Camera	9:30	Man Alive
8:00	Perfect Strangers	10:00	National/Journal
8:30	Blossom	11:00	Newswatch
9:00	The Fall Guy	11:30	Newhart
10:00	National/Journal	12:00	Star Trek

Fri., March 6

6:00	Newswatch	8:00	The Fifth Estate
7:00	Wheel of Fortune	9:00	Marketplace
7:30	Candid Camera	9:30	Man Alive
8:00	Golden Girls	10:00	National/Journal
8:30	Empty Nest	11:00	Newswatch
9:00	Street Legal	11:30	Newhart
10:00	National/Journal	12:00	Star Trek

6:00	Faerie Tale Theatre	8:00	Winnie The Pooh
7:00	Rockets	8:25	How It's Made: Chips
7:30	Wonder Why	8:30	Video Stew
8:00	Winnie The Pooh	9:00	Owl TV
8:25	How It's Made: Chips	9:30	The Campbells
8:30	Video Stew	10:00	Hann & Foote
9:00	Owl TV	10:30	Big Top Talent
9:30	The Campbells	11:00	Brownstone Kids
10:00	Hann & Foote	11:30	New Wilderness
10:30	Big Top Talent	12:00	Teen Video
11:00	Brownstone Kids	12:30	Tarzan
11:30	New Wilderness	1:00	Movie: Ferris Bueller's Day Off
12:00	Teen Video	3:00	Dinosaurs
12:30	Tarzan	3:30	New Wilderness
1:00	Movie: Ferris Bueller's Day Off	4:00	CTV Sports Presents
3:00	Dinosaurs	6:00	Scan Weekend
3:30	New Wilderness	6:30	Inside Entertainment
4:00	CTV Sports Presents	7:00	Wheel of Fortune
6:00	Scan Weekend	7:30	Bowling for Dollars
6:30	Inside Entertainment	8:00	Young Indiana Jones
7:00	Wheel of Fortune		
7:30	Bowling for Dollars		
8:00	Young Indiana Jones		

Sun., March 8

6:00	New Wilderness	8:00	Sunday A.M.
6:30	Third Story		
7:00	People's Church		
8:00	Sunday A.M.		

Sat., March 7

11:00	Newswatch	12:30	Movie: Red Kiss
11:30	Newhart		
12:00	Star Trek		

6:00	Newswatch	8:00	The Fifth Estate
6:30	Silver Basketball	9:00	Marketplace
7:00	Third Story	9:30	Man Alive
7:30	Star Trek	10:00	National/Journal
8:00	Spirit Alive	11:00	Newswatch
9:00	Visions of India	11:30	Newhart
9:30	Jerry Falwell	12:00	Star Trek
10:30	Campus Quiz		
11:00	Visions of India		
11:30	Chir Greek Show		
12:30	Campus Quiz		
1:00	Sportsworld		
6:00	Newswatch		
6:30	Candid Camera		
7:00	Wheel of Fortune		
7:30	Tarzan		
8:00	HNIC: NY/MTL		
11:00	National		
11:15	Newswatch		
11:45	Movie: Across The Wide Missouri		

Sun., March 8

6:00	Newswatch	8:00	The Fifth Estate
6:30	Silver Basketball	9:00	Marketplace
7:00	Third Story	9:30	Man Alive
7:30	Star Trek	10:00	National/Journal
8:00	Spirit Alive	11:00	Newswatch
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11:15	Newswatch		
11:45	Movie: Across The Wide Missouri		

10:00	Country Life	8:00	America's Funniest Home Videos
10:30	Question Period	8:30	America's Funniest People
11:00	Church Service	9:00	Movie: Great Outdoors
12:00	Sunday Edition	11:00	CTV National News
1:00	Movie 1: Perry Mason: Case of Sinister Spirit	11:30	The Ontario Report
3:00	Movie 2: Perry Mason: Case of the Murdered Madam	12:00	Late Date: The Enemy Below
		2:00	Trials of Rosie O'Neill

Mon., March 9

6:00	Scan Newshour	8:00	Unsolved Mysteries
7:00	Wheel of Fortune	9:00	Jake & The Fatman
7:30	Candid Camera	10:00	Matlock
8:00	Evening Shade	11:00	CTV News
8:30	Blossom	11:30	The Ontario Report
9:00	Movie: Uncle Buck	12:00	Studs
11:00	CTV National News	12:30	The Dennis Miller Show
11:30	The Ontario Report	2:00	Soap

daytime viewing

5:30 a.m.	11 The Judge
2 Faith 20	12 Flintstones
6:00 a.m.	12:00 noon
2 Seneca Telecollege	2 Global News
3 Total News	3 Leave It To Beaver
11 The Ontario Report	11 Noon Report
12 Newswatch	12 Newswatch
6:30 a.m.	12:30 p.m.
2 Commander Crumcake	3 Total News
3 Morning Exercise	11 Beverly Hillsbillies
11 Canada A.M.	12 Family Ties
12 The Judge	1:00 p.m.
7:00 a.m.	2 Days of Our Lives
2 Care Bears	3 All My Children
3 Police Academy	11 Shirley
12 CBC Morning News	12 All My Children
7:30 a.m.	2:00 p.m.
2 Inspector Gadget	2 The Next Line
3 Jungle Book	3 Good Company
8:00 a.m.	11 Another World
2 Beetlejuice	12 Midday
3 Morning Exercise	2:30 p.m.
8:30 a.m.	2 Chain Reaction
2 Teddy Ruxpin	3 Wok With Yan
3 Good Company	3:00 p.m.
9:00 a.m.	2 General Hospital
2 World Vision	3 In Shape for Life
3 Sesame Street	11 The Joan Rivers Show
11 Romper Room	12 Santa Barbara
12 James Robison	3:30 p.m.
9:30 a.m.	3 Travel Magazine
11 New Wilderness	4:00 p.m.
12 Everyday Workout	2 Charles in Charge
10:00 a.m.	3 Gilligan
2 Food For Thought	11 Bold and Beautiful
3 Fred Penner Place	12 WKRP
11 Dini Petty Show	4:30 p.m.
12 Fred Penner	2 Young and the Restless
10:30 a.m.	3 WKRP
2 100 Huntley Street	11 Cosby
3 Mr. Dress Up	12 Taxi
11:00 a.m.	5:00 p.m.
3 Newhart	3 Golden Girls
11 Morning Magazine	11 Different World
12 Danger Bay	12 All
11:30 a.m.	5:30 p.m.
2 Entertainment Desk	2 Global News
3 Andy Griffith	3 Mash
	11 Cheers
	12 Golden Girls

11:30	Country Beat	8:00	Fresh Prince of Belair
12:30	Commercial Program	8:30	Degrassi Talks
		9:00	Material World
		9:30	Designing Women
		10:00	National/Journal
		11:00	Newswatch
		11:30	Newhart
		12:00	Star Trek

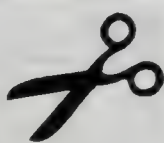
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7:30	The Jellybean Odyssey	9:00	Material World
		9:30	Designing Women
		10:00	National/Journal
		11:00	Newswatch
		11:30	Newhart
		12:00	Star Trek

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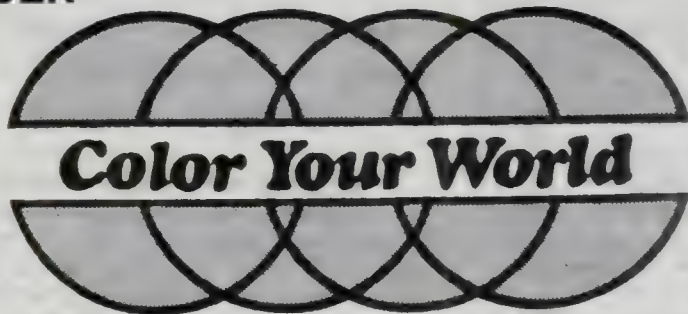
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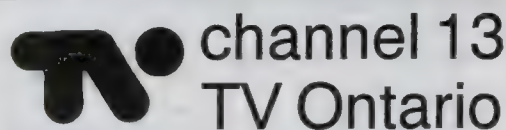
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4:00	Art's Place	4:00	Golden Pennies: 1, 2, 3 & 4 of 8	4:00	Golden Pennies: 5, 6, 7 & 8 of 8	4:00	The Short Story	4:00	The Short Story	6:00	Polka Dot Door	6:00	Polka Dot Door	4:00	Art's Place
5:00	T.B.A.	6:00	Origins: A History of Canada	6:00	Inside Great Restaurants of Ontario	6:00	Business & Consumer Math	6:00	Business & Consumer Math	6:30	Eureeka's Castle	6:30	Today's Special: Late	5:00	T.B.A.
6:00	Cartooning with Yardley Jones	6:30	The Middle East	6:30	The Middle East	6:30	Report Canada	6:30	Report Canada	7:00	Workweek	7:00	Pins and Needles	6:00	Cartooning with Yardley Jones
6:30	Recovering from Addictions - The 12 Steps	7:00	Color: An Introduction to Psychology: The Study of Human Behaviour	7:00	Family Matters: Children of Divorce	7:00	Readalong	7:00	Readalong	7:30	Vista: Going Downhill Fast	7:30	The Light Gourmet	6:30	Recovering from Addictions - The 12 Steps
7:00	The Story of English	7:30	Psychology: The Study of Human Behaviour	7:30	Family Matters: Children of Divorce	7:30	Telefrancais	7:30	Telefrancais	8:00	Imprint	8:00	The Light Gourmet	7:00	The Story of English
8:00	Polka Dot Door	8:00	Polka Dot Door	8:00	Polka Dot Door	8:00	Here's How: Roads & Bridges	8:00	Here's How: Roads & Bridges	8:30	Eric's World	8:30	The Light Gourmet	8:00	Polka Dot Door
8:30	Fables of the Green Forest	8:30	Polka Dot Door	8:30	Polka Dot Door	8:30	Let's All Sing	8:30	Let's All Sing	9:00	Workweek	9:00	Fables of the Green Forest	8:30	Fables of the Green Forest
9:00	Harriet's Magic Hats	9:00	Free to Fly	9:00	Free to Fly	9:00	Let's All Sing	9:00	Let's All Sing	9:15	Report Canada	9:15	Harriet's Magic Hats	9:00	Harriet's Magic Hats
9:15	Report Canada	9:15	Report Canada	9:15	Report Canada	9:15	Report Canada	9:15	Report Canada	9:30	Readalong	9:30	Report Canada	9:15	Report Canada
9:20	Readalong	9:20	Readalong	9:20	Readalong	9:20	Readalong	9:20	Readalong	9:45	Zardip's Search for Healthy Wellness	9:45	Readalong	9:20	Readalong
9:30	Zardip's Search for Healthy Wellness	9:30	Readalong	9:30	Readalong	9:30	Look Up	9:30	Look Up	10:00	Il Figures	10:00	Voyager: The World of National Geographic	9:30	Zardip's Search for Healthy Wellness
9:45	Il Figures	9:45	Write Stuff!	9:45	Write Stuff!	9:45	Return to the Magic Library	9:45	Return to the Magic Library	10:15	The Adventures of Timothy Pilgrim	10:15	The Senior Report	10:00	Il Figures
10:00	The Adventures of Timothy Pilgrim	10:00	Voyageurs: A Mission in the Woods	10:00	Teacher Education for Elementary-School Teachers	10:00	Habitat	10:00	Habitat	10:30	Free to Fly	10:30	Movie: Hollywood on Hollywood: Hollywood Then and Now	10:15	The Adventures of Timothy Pilgrim
10:15	Free to Fly	10:15	Let's All Sing	10:15	TVO Daytime	10:15	Free to Fly	10:15	Free to Fly	10:45	Mathmakers	10:45	Conversations	10:30	Mathmakers
10:30	Mathmakers	10:30	All About You	10:30	Medium Close-Up	10:30	Free to Fly	10:30	Free to Fly	11:00	Books from Cover to Cover	11:00	Ontario Lottery Live	10:45	Books from Cover to Cover
10:45	Books from Cover to Cover	10:45	The Magic Library	10:45	A Question of Justice	10:45	Two plus You	10:45	Two plus You	11:15	The Green Earth Club	11:15	Hot Metal	11:00	The Green Earth Club
11:00	The Green Earth Club	11:00	Zardip's Search for Healthy Wellness	11:00	How to Break 90 in 30 Days	11:00	Music Box	11:00	Music Box	11:30	Harriet's Magic Hats	11:30	Movie: The Glass Menagerie	11:15	Harriet's Magic Hats
11:15	Harriet's Magic Hats	11:15	Math Patrol	11:15	Italian Regional Cookery	11:15	Your Choice: Our Chance	11:15	Your Choice: Our Chance	11:45	Report Canada	11:45	Nature Watch Digest	11:30	Nature Watch Digest
11:30	Nature Watch Digest	11:30	Calling All Safety Scouts	11:30	Child Care: Your Choice	11:30	Take a Look	11:30	Take a Look	12:00	Report Canada	12:00	Report Canada	11:40	Report Canada
11:40	Readalong	11:40	Issues in Education	11:40	Innovators in Education	11:40	Readalong	11:40	Readalong	12:30	TV Daytime	12:30	Polka Dot Door	11:50	Report Canada
11:50	Report Canada	11:50	Planet Under Pressure	11:50	Adult Math	11:50	Readalong	11:50	Readalong	1:00	Stopwatch	1:00	Today's Special: The Blue Cow	12:00	The Principal's Report
12:00	The Principal's Report	12:00	Business and Consumer Mathematics	12:00	Write Right	12:00	Report Canada	12:00	Report Canada	1:30	Business and Consumer Mathematics	1:30	Sesame Street	12:00	TV Daytime
12:30	TV Daytime	12:30	Polka Dot Door	12:30	Polka Dot Door	12:30	Teacher Education for Elementary-School Teachers	12:30	Teacher Education for Elementary-School Teachers	1:45	Work: The Inside Story	1:45	Fables of the Green Forest	1:30	Business and Consumer Mathematics
1:00	Stopwatch	1:00	Polka Dot Door	1:00	Polka Dot Door	1:00	Return to the Magic Library	1:00	Return to the Magic Library	2:00	How Do You Do?	2:00	Return to the Magic Library	1:45	Work: The Inside Story
1:30	Business and Consumer Mathematics	1:30	Polka Dot Door	1:30	Polka Dot Door	1:30	Let's All Sing	1:30	Let's All Sing	2:30	Italian Regional Cookery	2:30	Music Box	2:00	How Do You Do?
1:45	Work: The Inside Story	1:45	Polka Dot Door	1:45	Polka Dot Door	1:45	Let's All Sing	1:45	Let's All Sing	3:00	Personal Finance with Lyman MacInnis	3:00	Sharon, Lois & Bram's Elephant Show	2:30	Italian Regional Cookery
2:00	How Do You Do?	2:00	Polka Dot Door	2:00	Polka Dot Door	2:00	Let's All Sing	2:00	Let's All Sing	3:30	Teacher Education for Elementary-School Teachers	3:30	Polka Dot Door	3:00	Personal Finance with Lyman MacInnis
2:30	Madhur Jaffrey's Far Eastern Cookery	2:30	Polka Dot Door	2:30	Polka Dot Door	2:30	Let's All Sing	2:30	Let's All Sing	4:00	Teacher Education for Elementary-School Teachers	4:00	Today's Special: Late	3:30	Teacher Education for Elementary-School Teachers
3:00	Personal Finance with Lyman MacInnis	3:00	Polka Dot Door	3:00	Polka Dot Door	3:00	Let's All Sing	3:00	Let's All Sing	4:30	Teacher Education for Secondary-School Teachers	4:30	The Blue Cow	4:00	Teacher Education for Secondary-School Teachers
3:30	Teacher Education for Elementary-School Teachers	3:30	Polka Dot Door	3:30	Polka Dot Door	3:30	Let's All Sing	3:30	Let's All Sing	5:00	Work: The Inside Story	5:00	Sesame Street	4:30	The Principal's Report
4:00	Teacher Education for Secondary-School Teachers	4:00	Polka Dot Door	4:00	Polka Dot Door	4:00	Let's All Sing	4:00	Let's All Sing	5:30	How Do You Do?	5:00	Polka Dot Door	5:00	Sesame Street
4:30	The Principal's Report	4:30	Polka Dot Door	4:30	Polka Dot Door	4:30	Let's All Sing	4:30	Let's All Sing	6:00	Italian Regional Cookery	6:00	Polka Dot Door	6:00	Polka Dot Door
5:00	Sesame Street	5:00	Polka Dot Door	5:00	Polka Dot Door	5:00	Let's All Sing	5:00	Let's All Sing	6:30	Fireman Sam	6:30	Today's Special: Late	7:00	Eric's World
			Polka Dot Door		Polka Dot Door		Let's All Sing		Let's All Sing	7:00	Manfred	7:00	Workweek	7:30	Workweek
			Polka Dot Door		Polka Dot Door		Let's All Sing		Let's All Sing	7:30	Today's Special: Dinosaurs	7:30	Vista: The Winning Streak	8:00	Vista: The Winning Streak
			Polka Dot Door		Polka Dot Door		Let's All Sing		Let's All Sing	8:00	People of the Forest: The Chimps of the Gombe	8:00	L'Enfant... un monde en développement	9:00	Imprint
			Polka Dot Door		Polka Dot Door		Let's All Sing		Let's All Sing	8:30	Between the Lines	8:30	Chat boume	10:00	Vital Signs
			Polka Dot Door		Polka Dot Door		Let's All Sing		Let's All Sing	9:00	Hot Metal	9:00	Cocotte Minute	10:55	Pick 3 Draw
			Polka Dot Door		Polka Dot Door		Let's All Sing		Let's All Sing	9:30	Prisoners of Gravity	9:30	Bibi et Genevieve	11:00	Play Better Golf
			Polka Dot Door		Polka Dot Door		Let's All Sing		Let's All Sing	10:00	Pick 3 Draw	10:00	Dusty	11:30	Well-Being: Loving Better
			Polka Dot Door		Polka Dot Door		Let's All Sing		Let's All Sing	10:30	Let's All Sing	10:30	Le Mitch d'impro	12:00	Your Green Home
			Polka Dot Door		Polka Dot Door		Let's All Sing		Let's All Sing	11:00	Sharon, Lois, and Bram's Elephant Show	11:00	Imagine	12:30	Question Period
			Polka Dot Door		Polka Dot Door		Let's All Sing		Let's All Sing	11:25	Pick 3 Draw	11:25	Science en images		
			Polka Dot Door		Polka Dot Door		Let's All Sing		Let's All Sing	11:50	Between the Lines				
			Polka Dot Door		Polka Dot Door		Let's All Sing		Let's All Sing	12:30	Question Period				

Minden Baptist Church

Sunday, 10:30 a.m. - Family Fellowship & Coffee
 Sunday, 11:00 a.m. - Family Worship & Christian Education
 Thursday, 7:30 p.m. - Cottage Prayer Meeting

Location:
 Archie Stouffer Public School

For information call 286-1004 or 286-1633
 A family welcome to this community.

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 we will be open
Thursday to Sunday.
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\$60 prize for
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 - larger special prizes -
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Doors open 6 p.m. First game 7:15 p.m.

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Environment focus of prayers

When Christians around the world gather for World Day of Prayer services on March 6, 1992, concern for the environment will be at the heart of their prayers.

They will be invited to reflect on the challenge of "Living Wisely with Creation".

Prepared by women from Austria, Germany and Switzerland, the service for 1992 is written from the perspective of industrialized countries which have experienced tremendous economic growth and advances in technology, and are only now beginning to look at the environmental costs of unlimited progress. The order of worship carefully weaves together Scripture readings, including an exuberant psalm in praise of creation, some of the writers' experiences in the reconstruction of their countries after World War II, and concerns about the present ecological crisis.

The Tower of Babel becomes a symbol of the unseen implications of our high technology.

World Day of Prayer is a global, ecumenical move-

ment of "informed prayer and prayerful action". On the first Friday in March each year, people in over 170 countries participate in a common service in their own locality. Services are translated into thousands of languages and dialects.

In Canada, the World Day of Prayer is sponsored by

the Women's Inter-Church Council of Canada, a national council with representatives from eleven denominations. Local services are organized by ecumenical committees in thousands of communities across Canada, with each church taking a turn to host the annual service. The offerings from the services are

used to provide study and worship resources, and to cover costs of printing and distributing the services, and to support ecumenical projects in Canada and abroad.

The service in this area will be held at 2:00p.m. on Friday, March 6th at Hyland Crest Senior Citizen's Home



BUSINESS INFORMATION SURVEY COUNTY OF HALIBURTON

Businesses who have not yet replied to this survey are requested to mail in their information forms before March 27th, 1992. If you were not previously contacted, please call the County office and a survey form will be sent to you.

The information is being used to update the COUNTY OF HALIBURTON BUSINESS DIRECTORY.

The Directory is used to promote all businesses in the County. It is important that your business be listed in the new DIRECTORY that will be published soon.

Phone: 705-286-1333

P.O. Box 399,
Minden, Ontario
K0M 2K0

Mark B. Stagg,
Economic Development Officer

Notice Board



HALIBURTON COUNTY BOARD OF EDUCATION

LOCATION: Haliburton Highlands Secondary School

ASSIGNMENT: Secretary - Full Time Temporary (7 Month Maternity Leave)

- keyboarding a priority
- knowledge of word perfect
- bookkeeping skills
- organizational skills
- ability to work independently and as a member of a team
- computer literacy

EFFECTIVE: March 23, 1992 - October 30, 1992

SEND WRITTEN APPLICATIONS TO:

M. J. Bradley
Business Administrator
Haliburton County Board of Education
Box 507
Haliburton, Ontario
K0M 1S0

DEADLINE FOR APPLICATION:
Monday, March 9, 1992

Nancy Stinson
Chairperson

Brad Saunders
Director of Education

ONTARIO GOVERNMENT NOTICE REDUCED LOAD REGULATIONS (1992)

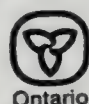
As outlined in the Highway Traffic Act, Reduced Loading will be in effect in Huntsville District at 12:01 a.m., Monday, March 2, 1992. The highways affected are:

118 from Hwy. 11 easterly to the Jct. of Haliburton County Road 14; Hwy. 518 from the West limits of Sprucedale to the Jct. of Hwy 69; from the East limits of Kearney to the easterly limit of Hwy. 518; Hwy. 510 from Hwy. 520 northerly to Hwy. 124; Hwy. 520 from Hwy. 124 northwesterly to the Hamlet of Ardbeg; Hwy. 559 the entire length; Hwy. 592 the entire length; Hwy. 612 from the Muskoka/Parry Sound District boundary northerly to Hwy. 69; Hwy. 632 from the Muskoka/Parry Sound District boundary northerly to Hwy. 141 at Rosseau; Hwy. 7160 from the South Jct. of Hwy. 11 to the North Jct. of Hwy. 11 in the Hamlet of Novar; Hwy. 7182 from Hwy. 559 northerly to Hwy. 69.

Local Roads Boards affected are:

Southeast Monteith, South Seguin Estates, East Bear Lake, Spence, Croft, Ahmic Lake, Ferrie, McKenzie, East Burpee, Burton, Ferguson and Monteith Statute Labour Board.

The above date depends on weather conditions and is subject to change. Reduced loads will be in effect when and where signs are erected. During Reduced Load season no Special Permits for overloading or house moving will be issued in the District.



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HOUSING NEED STUDY FOR: SENIORS AND THE PHYSICALLY CHALLENGED

Staanworth Non-Profit Housing Corporation is undertaking a 'need study' in connection with a proposed Supportive Housing Project for the Minden Area. The project involves:

- Housing for seniors & the physically challenged
- Rent-Geared-to-Income-Units
- Market Rent Units
- Community Health and Support Services to promote and assist residents to live in an independent setting.

Services would include:

- Attendant Care
- Emergency Response
- Meals as Required
- Wellness Clinic
- Convalescent Care

To obtain a questionnaire and receive more information please write or phone:

Staanworth Non-Profit Housing Corporation
44 Parkside Street
Minden, Ontario
K0M 2K0
1-705-286-3444

CORPORATION OF THE TOWNSHIPS OF ANSON, HINDON AND MINDEN

NOTICE

(File# 90-11)
(DOIDGE)

IN THE MATTER OF the Municipal Act; and IN THE MATTER OF a proposed By-law of the Corporation of the Townships of Anson, Hindon and Minden to stop up, close and convey to the adjoining landowners portions of the original allowance for road along the shore of Kashagawigamog Lake lying in front of Part of Lot 22, Concession 4, Twp of Minden.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN pursuant to Section 301 (1) (a) of the Municipal Act, R.S.O. 1980, as amended, that the Council of the Corporation of the Townships of Anson, Hindon and Minden proposes to consider and, if deemed advisable, to pass at its regular meeting to be held in the Municipal Council Chambers on Milne Street, Minden, Ontario on March 12, 1992 at the hour of 10:00 a.m. a By-law to stop up, close and convey those parcels of land more particularly described as follows:-

Parts of the original allowance for road along the shore of Kashagawigamog Lake in front of Lot 22, Concession 4, in the Township of Minden, in the County of Haliburton, designated as Parts 7, 8 and 12 on Plan 19R-5059.

The plan of survey is available for inspection in the Municipal Office, at Minden, Ontario during regular office hours.

AND FURTHER TAKE NOTICE that before passing the said By-law at the meeting to be held at the time and place above-mentioned, the Council shall then and there hear in person or by his or her counsel, solicitor, or agent, any person who claims that his or her land will be prejudicially affected by the said By-law and who applies to be heard.

DATED at the Township of Minden this 6th day of February, 1992.



Tammy McKelvey,
Clerk-Treasurer
Box 359, Milne Street
Minden, Ontario
K0M 2K0

Around the County Town

by Jeanne Sears (call 286-1538)

Have you noticed that the "Wee Kirk" (church) is getting done beside the Bowron Homestead and constructed by Pat Murphy workers through the County Town Museum.

We are pleased to report that Kit Schroter was able to be at her home after a stay in hospital. Also Judy Stevenson was moved to Minden Hospital last Wednesday afternoon.

At St. Paul's Parish Hall on Monday, February 24th there was a luncheon followed by the weekly Euchre games, and all enjoyed the lunch. Winners for cards were: Lone hands, Marg McAfee and others Joyce Hewitt, Jerry Schmidt, Marie Dennie, and Nancy Gayton and, 50/50 Marg Green.

Those who missed out on February senior games at

Deer Lodge may take part in the day March 9th, a Monday with first 100 taken and deadline is March 2nd with forms at IDA Drug Store, Minden; Jasco, Haliburton; Municipal Office and at Deer Lodge.

Now, we know we aren't perfect, anyway, sorry for the mix-ups last week; perhaps we will be replaced, but we do try to get things right.

Monday February 24th, there was a Farewell Baby Shower for Mrs. Vito Boticelli at the Anglican Parish Hall as she will soon be going to Toronto.

Sincere sympathy goes to the families and friends of the late Jim Allen, Harry Schroter and Donelda MacKenzie whose funerals were last week.

Recent guests with Florence Robinson have included

Eileen and Paul Cockburn of Woodville and Dorothy and Clare Eves of Queensville.

Another cancellation was the Tuesday, February 25 Euchres at Gelert Centre, but these planned are for March 10th.

Trent McElwain of Pickering spent a few days with his mother Dorothy McElain.

Mrs. Sherman Johnston and Junior of Gelert are away visiting their son and family in North Bay.

Janice and Jack Shaw were in Lindsay one day recently and visited Barbara and John Cummings.

Guests with Audrey and Bob Vick have been Dale and Tyler Vick of Vandorf, and Bill, Julie and Meighan Woolfrey of Bridgenorth.

News from County Town Museum Committee - workers are needed to cut woolen strips for rug-weaving by Weavers Group. This rug is to be in Bowron Homestead dining room. First cutting day is Wednesday, March 5th at 10a.m. at Library Cultural Centre. Come on and give us a hand. You need scissors.

Edna McElwain is home again after spending some-time visiting her family.

All good wishes to these people: Stan Dawson, John Barclay, Ed Turner, Jacqueline, Betty Davis, Jim Morrison, J.O. Jackson, Ann McAdam, Frank Lemaitre, Delores Kylie, Howard Howarth, Bill Campbell, Sherri Simmons, Nellie King, Sadie Kitchman, John Sagal, Aulie Orpanan and Harry Austen.

Coming events are: Pancake Supper, St. Paul's Parish Hall, Tuesday March 3rd, from 5-7. World Day of Prayers at Hyland Crest, Friday March 6th at two, and Weekly Lenten Lunches at St. Paul's, March 11th to April 8th at noon hour.

St. Patrick's Dance - Norland - Saturday, March 14th, 1992, at the Community Centre. Tickets will be \$6.00 each, or \$10.00 per couple. You may purchase them in advance at the Norland Municipal Office or at the door. Spot and Door Prizes.

Club 35 Euchre - February 24/92

50/50 Draw -- Thelda Weston
Lone hands -- Thelda Weston
High Lady -- Edith Russell
High Man -- Merv Bunker

Murray MacKinnon
Fran Clark
Norma Sisson

Minden Wins Golds:
At Men's Championship Professional Horseshoe Tournament at Naples, Florida, Al Mayo was cheered on by a large crowd of Mindenites.

Although starting out as a dark horse, he was Victorious.

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CORPORATION OF THE TOWNSHIPS OF ANSON, HINDON AND MINDEN

NOTICE

(File# 89-13)
(JENNINGS)

IN THE MATTER OF the Municipal Act; and IN THE MATTER OF a proposed By-law of the Corporation of the Townships of Anson, Hindon and Minden to stop up, close and convey to the adjoining landowners portions of the original allowance for road along the shore of Kashagawigamog Lake lying in front of Part of Lot 32, Concession 4, Twp of Minden.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN pursuant to Section 301 (1) (a) of the Municipal Act, R.S.O. 1980, as amended, that the Council of the Corporation of the Townships of Anson, Hindon and Minden proposes to consider and, if deemed advisable, to pass at its regular meeting to be held in the Municipal Council Chambers on Milne Street, Minden, Ontario on March 12, 1992 at the hour of 10:00 a.m. a By-law to stop up, close and convey those parcels of land more particularly described as follows:-

Parts of the original allowance for road along the shore of Kashagawigamog Lake in front of Lot 32, Concession 4, in the Township of Minden, in the County of Haliburton, designated as Parts 2 and 3 on a plan of survey completed by Bishop and Wilson, on July 20, 1991.

The plan of survey is available for inspection in the Municipal Office, at Minden, Ontario during regular office hours.

AND FURTHER TAKE NOTICE that before passing the said By-law at the meeting to be held at the time and place above-mentioned, the Council shall then and there hear in person or by his or her counsel, solicitor, or agent, any person who claims that his or her land will be prejudicially affected by the said By-law and who applies to be heard.

DATED at the Township of Minden this 6th day of February, 1992.



Tammy McKelvey,
Clerk-Treasurer
Box 359, Milne Street
Minden, Ontario
KOM 2K0

CORPORATION OF THE TOWNSHIPS OF ANSON, HINDON AND MINDEN

NOTICE

(File# 89-20)
(MURLEY)

IN THE MATTER OF the Municipal Act; and IN THE MATTER OF a proposed By-law of the Corporation of the Townships of Anson, Hindon and Minden to stop up, close and convey to the adjoining landowners portions of the original allowance for road along the shore of Minden Lake lying in front of Part of Lot 6, Concession 4, Twp of Minden.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN pursuant to Section 301 (1) (a) of the Municipal Act, R.S.O. 1980, as amended, that the Council of the Corporation of the Townships of Anson, Hindon and Minden proposes to consider and, if deemed advisable, to pass at its regular meeting to be held in the Municipal Council Chambers on Milne Street, Minden, Ontario on March 12, 1992 at the hour of 10:00 a.m. a By-law to stop up, close and convey those parcels of land more particularly described as follows:-

Parts of the original allowance for road along the shore of Minden Lake in front of Lot 6, Concession 4, in the Township of Minden, in the County of Haliburton, designated as Part 1 on a plan of survey by Bishop and Wilson completed October 25, 1991.

The plan of survey is available for inspection in the Municipal Office, at Minden, Ontario during regular office hours.

AND FURTHER TAKE NOTICE that before passing the said By-law at the meeting to be held at the time and place above-mentioned, the Council shall then and there hear in person or by his or her counsel, solicitor, or agent, any person who claims that his or her land will be prejudicially affected by the said By-law and who applies to be heard.

DATED at the Township of Minden this 6th day of February, 1992.



Tammy McKelvey,
Clerk-Treasurer
Box 359, Milne Street
Minden, Ontario
KOM 2K0

CORPORATION OF THE TOWNSHIPS OF ANSON, HINDON AND MINDEN

NOTICE

(File# 91-7)
(CAPELL & MARTIN)

IN THE MATTER OF the Municipal Act; and IN THE MATTER OF a proposed By-law of the Corporation of the Townships of Anson, Hindon and Minden to stop up, close and convey to the adjoining landowners portions of the original allowance for road along the shore of Twelve Mile Lake lying in front of Part of Lot 10, Concession 10, Twp of Minden.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN pursuant to Section 301 (1) (a) of the Municipal Act, R.S.O. 1980, as amended, that the Council of the Corporation of the Townships of Anson, Hindon and Minden proposes to consider and, if deemed advisable, to pass at its regular meeting to be held in the Municipal Council Chambers on Milne Street, Minden, Ontario on March 12, 1992 at the hour of 10:00 a.m. a By-law to stop up, close and convey those parcels of land more particularly described as follows:-

Parts of the original allowance for road along the shore of Twelve Mile Lake in front of Lot 10, Concession 10, in the Township of Minden, in the County of Haliburton, designated as Parts 1 and 2 on a plan of survey completed by Bishop and Wilson, on August 26, 1991.

The plan of survey is available for inspection in the Municipal Office, at Minden, Ontario during regular office hours.

AND FURTHER TAKE NOTICE that before passing the said By-law at the meeting to be held at the time and place above-mentioned, the Council shall then and there hear in person or by his or her counsel, solicitor, or agent, any person who claims that his or her land will be prejudicially affected by the said By-law and who applies to be heard.

DATED at the Township of Minden this 6th day of February, 1992.



Tammy McKelvey,
Clerk-Treasurer
Box 359, Milne Street
Minden, Ontario
KOM 2K0

Classified Ads

Ads for the classified section of THE TIMES can be placed by phone (286-1288); by FAX (705) 286-4768; by mail Box 97, Minden; or in person at our office on Bobcaygeon Road North, Minden.

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FOR SALE: Two round holes 12" x 16" for small fish hut. Many fish caught in right hole. Call 286-2704. 3A

FOR SALE: Catch the Drift: 1992 Sled Dog Derby souvenirs, including posters, shirts etc. still available at Northland Sales, Minden. 2D3A

FOR SALE

FOR SALE: General Instrument Satellite receiver. Call 754-1447. 3A

FOR SALE: Firewood for sale. 16" dry hardwood cut and split. For deliveries call 754-3559. 2D3A

FOR SALE: New - only 2 weeks old - men's skates and boots - size 13 - NHL approved - asking \$50.00. Call 286-1229 after 6 p.m. 3A

FOR SALE: 1 sofa bed, double size, 1 1/2 years old, hardly used. 1 large stereo stand. 1 swivel rocker, 6 months old. 6 chrome and vinyl chairs. 3 chrome and vinyl bar stools. 1 kitchen table. Call 286-1656. 2D3B

FOR SALE: Complete double bed assembly with bookcase headboard - \$90.00. 15 cubic foot GE avocado green fridge - 2 door - frost free - good working condition - \$175.00. 10" radial arm saw - Sears - with accessories and stand - \$450.00 firm. Portable 19" colour T.V. - \$60.00. XL2 Homelite chain saw with 14" bar - \$75.00. Call 286-6275. 3A

FOR SALE: Firewood - cut, split and delivered cheap. 286-1198. 2BTFN

FOR SALE: Good deer hound pups. Wormed. Ready to go. Call 286-2704 after 6 p.m. 3AB

FOR SALE: Wedding gown, brand new, white lace. Countess white lace shoes size 8B. Call 489-3366. 2D3A

FOR SALE: Brand new Prime 1/2 acre with 120' frontage on South Lake. Flat lot with beautiful sandy beach southern exposure, fully approved. Private sale. Call 286-2361. 2DTFN

FOR SALE: Buy next year's firewood at this year's price. Call 286-4350 or 438-1026. 3Atfn

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BIRTHS

CARRELL: Sean, Andrew and Jeffrey are pleased to announce the birth of their sister **JESSICA NICOLE** Born February 1, 1992. Six pounds - 10 ounces. Special thanks to Dr. Moga and the nurses at Haliburton Hospital. Proud parents are Jim and Sheila Carrell.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Attention Store owners, managers, staff, or potential staff, the CITC will be sponsoring a Retail Merchandising Program in Bancroft. Private consultations with a retailing expert is included in the cost. Call 1-800-267-2857 to register. Cost \$25.00. 1B-3A

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The following names are those of the past month's WEEKLY WINNERS of the Winning Wednesday Draw, a fundraiser for the Haliburton Highlands Guild of Fine Arts, each winning \$175: Fern Timbers on February 5, Max Strang on February 12, Greg Bishop on February 19 and Aileen Blears on February 26. 3A

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Jiggs can't wait until St. Patrick's Day for his corned beef, cabbage and cards at Zion United Church, Carnarvon. Friday, March 6 at 6 p.m. \$8.00 for dinner and cards. \$2.00 for cards only. Prizes. Call 489-3737. 2D3A

Haliburton County Home Support Services invites you to participate in a "Strategical Planning Session" on Tuesday, March 10th, 10 a.m. to 3 p.m. at our new location, Echo Hills Legion Building, Corner of Robertson Road and Eastern Ave., Haliburton. Complimentary lunch provided. RSVP by March 6th. For more information please call 457-2941. 3A

Archie Stouffer Home and School Association invites you to an open meeting Wednesday, March 4 in the school library. We will be planning our annual Fun Fair. 2D3A

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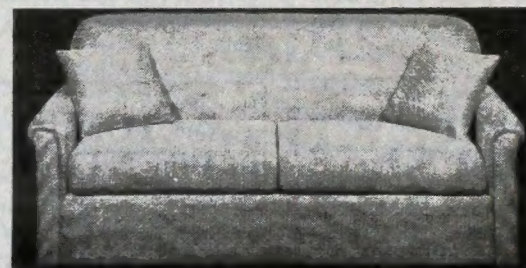
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We would like to take this opportunity to express our sincere thanks and appreciation to the many friends, relatives and neighbours for their floral and memorial tributes, messages of sympathy and their countless acts of kindness in every way during the loss of our loving husband, stepfather and grandfather, Charlie Kent. A special thank you to the Haliburton County Ambulance Service. Dr. Tina Moga, and the Gordon A. Monk Funeral Home for their kind and efficient service. A special thank you to Pastor Nicholas Murray for his comforting words in our time of sorrow. Also, thank you to the ladies of the Allsaw Pentecostal Church for the delicious tea after the service. Again, we thank you very much, and may God bless you all. Audrey Trumbull and family.

CARDS OF THANKS

The family of the late Arnold Cowen would like to thank all family, friends and neighbours for prayers, food, flowers, donations, telephone calls and cards. Special thanks to the ambulance drivers, doctors and nurses at the Minden Hospital as well as the staff of the Gord Monk Funeral Home. Also thank you, Pastor Fast, for your support and words of comfort during this time. Pearl, Harold, Al, Teresa and boys.

We would like to thank relatives and friends for the sympathy and support we received for the loss of our mother, grandmother, great-grandmother and friend, Myrtle Adams. Thanks to Haliburton Homecare, the V.O.N.'s, R.N.'s and staff at Minden Hospital. Special thanks to Dr. Holliday-Rhodes (and to Betty!) for his many years of care and concern, to the Ambulance Service Drivers (especially Dwight!) who often made her smile, and to Paul Heffer of Minden I.D.A. Thank you also to Gordon A. Monk Funeral Home and to Reverend Brian Parker for a lovely service. Dolly, Linda and Carol Sheckleton.

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George and Edna Tipton wish to thank everyone for cards, gifts and flowers. Special thanks to our daughter Joy and daughter-in-law Patty. Also, Carla and George and all at Lochaven Inn who helped to make our 50th Wedding Anniversary a very memorable occasion.

AT REST

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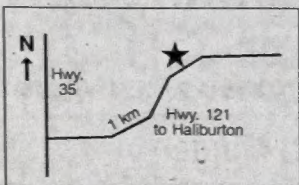


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